

Being a column in which the publisher just "blows off the steam".

By June Jones

I AM 1955. I am gone from you forever. I am the last of a long procession of yesterday, streaming behind you, pouring into mist and obscurity, then into the ocean of oblivion.

Each of my days has been a burden of triumphs, of defeat, of laughter, of bitterness. I do not love you or hate you. I only judge you.

I have no compassion; only Today has that. I have no encouragement for you; only Tomorrow has that.

I stand at the door of the past welcoming the single file of days that pass through, watching Tomorrows becoming Today as they join me. As you grow older I absorb your thoughts. You turn to me more and more, less and less toward Tomorrow.

My snows cumber your back and whiten your head. My icy waters put out your passions. My exhalations dim your hopes. My dead loves, burnt-out enthusiasms, shattered dream-houses, dissolved illusions, move to you, surround you.

Tomorrows come unnoticed. Today slip by unheeded. More and more you become a creature of my Yesterdays.

I am 1955, made up of the world's Yesterdays. If you know enough to put your feet upon me, you can rise rapidly. But when you let me ride on your back, I strangle and smother you.

I am 1955. Learn to look me in the face, to use me, and not be afraid of me. I am not your friend. I am your judge and your fear.

Tomorrow is your friend.

DOC ANKLAM still is one of our favorite equilibators. The fictitious character writes in a paper trade publication coming to our desk. Here are some recent reasons for our admiration:

If all this talk about equality for women ever comes about, it will be quite a comedown for them.

The only time Ez Tike quits looking for work is when he finds a job.

One way to get a perfect hatch for your troubles is to brood over them.

They say Ez Tike's son is some shakes as a forecaster . . . he can look into a girl's eyes and tell whether.

One of the great mistakes in life is to continually fear you will make one.

Egotism is the art of seeing in yourself qualities that no one else can.

FROM STAMFORD a man and woman went over into New Mexico one Friday and visited the home of a justice of the peace and asked to be married.

The justice said he would be glad to perform the ceremony except that under state law they had to wait three days.

The man appeared troubled. He then asked: "Can't you just say a few words to tide us over the week-end?"

THIS YARN further proves the arrogance of the Russian leaders:

A Russian named "Rudolph the Red" stood looking out the window. Over his shoulder he remarked to his wife:

"It's raining."

"I believe it's snow," said the wife, joining him at the window.

"It's rain," he responded firmly. "And Rudolph the Red knows rain, dear."

THE OTHER DAY a man from Aspermont who was in town telephone to the Hamlin police to report that thieves had been at work on his car.

"They've stolen the steering wheel, the brake pedal, the accelerator, the clutch pedal and the dashboard," he complained.

The police chief said he would investigate. Then the telephone rang again.

"Don't bother," said the same voice—this time with a hiccup. "I got into the back seat by mistake."

MAYBE everything the kids nowadays learn at school doesn't come out of books. For example we submit:

A Hamlin boy walked unhesitatingly up to his father with: "Dad, here is my report card, and here also is an old one of yours found in the attic."



AMONG BARBERSHOP HARMONIZERS to be heard at the annual musical extravaganza of the Abilene chapter of the SPEBSQSA (Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Singing in America) Saturday evening, March 10, at the Abilene High School auditorium will be the Confederates, second place quartet in national competition in 1955 (above). National champions also will be there, along with other outstanding quartet groups. Proceeds from the two-hour show will go to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene. Advance tickets are on sale at Melody Shop in Abilene.

## Broadened Service in County Increases Red Cross Quota

### Goal of \$6,532 for County Sought in Fund Campaign

New Red Cross quota for Jones County is \$6,532, which is an increase because of the many disasters during the last year, declare officials of the county unit.

Jones County activities for 1955 have been wide and varied, Mrs. Frank Gamblin, executive secretary, said.

A summary of the year's work includes disaster relief, financial assistance, first aid, water safety, nursing services, assistance to service men and their families, and community service, she said.

Total of \$798.84 was spent on disaster in Jones County in 1955, Mrs. Gamblin reported. Without cost to the recipient, Red Cross repaired homes for five families, purchased household furnishings for two families and purchased emergency food for one family.

Financial assistance was given to people "needing the necessities of life until they could better their positions and some who faced death," Mrs. Gamblin said. The help was in the form of food, clothing, medicines and even transportation for cancer treatment and for serious surgery. Total cost to the chapter was \$697.45 and 79 families received such aid. Loans for a total amount of \$406 were given to eight families.

In first aid, first aid training was provided for 27 persons last year by the chapter, plus necessary first aid instructions for one Boy Scout unit. Classes are now being held and more are planned. This training is free to those who wish to learn first aid.

Emergency first aid station was established at Leuders to administer aid till victims can be taken

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### Herald Publication Day Being Advanced

The Herald plans to advance the day of publication from Thursday to Wednesday in order to give week-end advertising messages of advertisers more effectiveness, the publisher announced.

In view of this new dating, the deadline for news copy will be advanced to Tuesday noon. Certainly earlier copy will be given preference, and it less apt to contain errors and can be given better position in the paper, it is pointed out.

The publisher expressed the hope that prompt reporting of events would be accorded Your Home Town Paper, as was the case in the past.



### E. C. Feagan Gets Plaque for 22-Year Duty with Conoco

E. C. Feagan, Hamlin consignee for Conoco products, was recognized as an old-timer in the business last Thursday night when he was presented a plaque for 22 years of service as a Conoco agent by officials of the Continental Oil Company.

The award was presented at the Continental Oil Company district offices in Abilene. The award was presented by Raleigh Cowhick, assistant division manager for Continental from Abilene.

Feagan began service with Continental as agent in Hamlin and now operates a fleet of gasoline transports and a butane company here. He began work for Continental in 1934.

After the presentation, Feagan was guest of honor at a dinner at the Abilene Country Club.

Others present at the presentation were Mrs. E. C. Feagan, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Feagan Jr. of Hamlin, Mrs. Cowhick, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McNeely and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Newcombe of Abilene. McNeely is district sales manager for Continental and Newcombe is district merchandising manager.

Living in the past has one thing in its favor—it's cheaper.

### Formal Opening of Chiropractic Offices Scheduled Monday

Formal opening of the new chiropractic offices of William A. Pattillo in the former location of the Cake Box on Southwest Third Street has been announced for Monday.

Pattillo, a native of Liberty, holds a BS degree from Shurtleff College of Alton, Illinois, and his chiropractic degree from Logan College of St. Louis, Missouri.

He married the former Anna Lee Richard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richard of Sweetwater, who formerly lived at Hamlin. They have a three-year-old girl, Patricia Ann.

The building being occupied by Pattillo has been completely redecorated, and equipment will include the most modern for the practice of chiropractic, Pattillo declares, including x-ray for spinal analysis.

Hamlin has been without chiropractic service since the death last year of Don Gould, who practiced here for several years.

### Area T-P Employees Get Salary Increases

About 25 employees of the Hamlin division will be affected by a wage and salary increase of six per cent which went into effect March 1 for all employees of Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company except officer-directors.

H. B. Fuqua, board chairman and president, announced from Fort Worth this week.

The increase to monthly salaries of employees is limited to \$50 per month.

# Polio Shots for Children Aim of All-Out Drive Here

## Fun Festival Will Climax 4-H Club Week Observance

Local observance of National 4-H Club Week will be climaxed this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Anson High School auditorium, according to Bill Lehmborg, county agent, and Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent. Everyone interested in the work of the clubs is invited to attend.

Four-H Club boys, girls and their families and friends will be present to see the coronation of the 4-H King and Queen. For entertainment of the court, a share-the-fun festival has been arranged. This is a talent show with members of each club participating.

Winners of the county festival will get to participate in the district share-the-fun festival, to be held in Wichita Falls April 14.

Candidates for King and Queen are: Lonnie Ueckert and Myrna Patterson of Noodle B. A. Honey and Mary Ann Moore of Leuders; Jerry Long and Sandy South of Hawley Junior; Lynn Jackson of Hawley Senior; Ann Johnson of Bluebonnet Club of Hamlin; June Swenson and Harmon Heibner of Avoca; Duffy Vassar and Lou Parkinson of Anson.

A. H. Roberts will serve as master of ceremonies.

## Cotton Problems to Be Discussed at Anson

Cotton production problems, insect control, marketing and ginning problems will be discussed at an area-wide cotton meeting at Anson next Thursday.

Farmers and agricultural workers are invited to attend, according to Bill Lehmborg, county agent. It will be held in the county courtroom, and will begin at 9:30 a. m. The meeting will adjourn about 3:30 p. m.

Fred Elliott, cotton works specialist; Dr. F. M. Fuller, entomologist; and Howard Zuch, agricultural engineer, will conduct the meeting. These men are all members of the Texas Extension Service.

## Dr. Gordon Bennett to Teach Former Class

Dr. Gordon Bennett, vice president of McMurry College at Abilene, will teach the men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Church Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock, according to class officials.

Dr. Bennett is a former teacher of the class for six years, when he resided in Hamlin.



Milk still rates eager inspection from youngsters in Jacalepa, Honduras, to whom it has always been a rarity. But every Saturday now is milk-drinking time for them since the UN Children's Fund (UNICEF) began a special program last June aimed at pre-school children. This is the age group hardest hit by undernourishment from the area's standard black bean and tortilla diet. UNICEF has supplied milk to Honduras since 1950 and, with UN's Food and Agriculture Organization, has helped the Government set up feeding programs which reach 45,000 children of all ages.

## City Drive on Petty Stealing Launched

Hamlin city enforcement officers and city officials are becoming extremely concerned about the rash of petty thievery that has spread to this area in recent months, declared Mayor Willard Jones this week, as he announced an accelerated campaign toward apprehension of perpetrators of the crimes by city officers.

Scores of automobile hub caps have been taken from parked automobiles in recent weeks, a few of which have been recovered, officers said. But most of those

hub caps stolen apparently are being taken to other cities and disposed of under cover, officers believe.

Contacts with the Texas Rangers and Texas Highway Patrol offices at Abilene by Mayor Jones last week-end revealed that those law enforcement agencies are co-operating to help stamp out the thievery. They reported having made a number of arrests as the hub caps were being sold to junk and auto parts dealers who buy them on a no-questions-asked basis.

One Hamlin area man, Irby Weaver, reports he has lost 10 hub caps and a set of fender skirts from his 1956 Ford since January 1. Several Hamlin auto dealers have reported theft of hub caps, radios, lighters, fender skirts and spare tires from cars on their new and used car lots.

Local officers will appreciate any information about the thefts that may lead to arrest of the perpetrators.

Contract for the construction of grading, structures, base and surfacing on Farm to Market Road 1812 in Fisher and Jones County, southwest of Hamlin, was awarded in Austin this week, J. C. Roberts, district highway engineer at Abilene has announced.

The firm of Harry Campbell of Abilene submitted the low bid of \$261,299.60 on the project, which runs from U. S. Highway 180 south and east to Jones County line, and from Fisher County line south and east to Noodle.

Resident Engineer C. W. West-Brook of Stamford will be in charge of the project for the highway department and it is estimated that the work will take 135 days to complete.

## Afton Cemetery Group Seeks Improvements

Afton Cemetery, six miles west of Hamlin on the Rotan highway, is badly in need of some repairs, and community residents are asking for donations from people of the area in order to purchase a cattle guard, posts where needed and other repairs.

Mrs. W. R. Townsend, secretary, asks that checks be made payable to the Afton Cemetery Association and left at the bank.

## Laveta French Makes McMurry Honor Roll

Laveta French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. French of Tuxedo, was on the honor roll for the fall term at McMurry College of Abilene, according to Jerome Van-noy, registrar. Grade averages of the 65 students who made the honor roll for the fall term ranged from 91 to 95 per cent, he said. Laveta is a 1954 graduate of Hamlin High School.

## Help Available for Any Unable to Pay For Inoculations

All-out campaign to have all children and young people in the Hamlin area between the ages of six months and 21 years inoculated against polio has been set by civic leaders of the community under the direction of Starr Inzer and L. E. (Gene) Prewitt.

Saturday, March 17, has been set as the date for the first of the shots to be administered at the Primary School building between 9:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. Doctors, nurses and other assistants will be on hand to help handle all who appear for the shots.

Promoters point out that new methods of manufacture and controls make the polio inoculations absolutely safe.

All the service clubs, Parent-Teacher Associations and Hamlin Schools are co-operating to offset this program to people of the area. Everyone, regardless of race, creed or color, is urged to take advantage of this opportunity to get polio inoculations.

Program of vaccination with polio vaccine provided by the March of Dimes has been virtually completed throughout the country, says Prewitt, but supplies of vaccine through other channels now are increasing steadily. Prewitt is chairman of the Jones County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The vaccinations will cost \$3 per shot, or \$6 for the two. However, if some are unable to pay for their shots, a Hamlin donor (who asks to remain anonymous) has arranged to pay for the inoculations.

"With the liberality of this fine Hamlin citizen providing the necessary payments for the shots, there is no excuse for our not making this drive against dreaded polio a universal one," declared Starr Inzer.

Second shot in the inoculation will be given April 14.

## Singing Scheduled at City Church Sunday

Regular monthly singing of the Hamlin area will be held Sunday afternoon at the Foursquare Gospel Church at Southwest Avenue D and First Street.

Singing will get underway at 2:00 o'clock, to which the public is invited, promoters declare.

## Juniors for Fourth Time Lead Classes At High School Getting on Honor Roll

For the fourth time this school year, the juniors of Hamlin High School have led the classes with the number of students making the honor roll, according to tabulation of the list submitted this week by B. V. Newberry, high school principal.

The junior put 25 students on the honor roll of the first six weeks of the second semester. Freshmen were second with 15, sophomores third with 14 and the seniors brought up the rear with 13. The complete list follows:

Seniors: All As—Joy Cary and Reba Roland; A average—Paige Baize, Judy Brandon, Marcene Crawford, Nellie Johnson and Clarence Parker; B honor roll—Ann Cochran, Betty Cranford, Louise Herd, June Hill, Dennis Johnson and Rodney Spaulding.

Juniors: All As—Cecelia Albritton, Linda Carlton, Ginger Means, Elizabeth Norton and Gene Steele; A average—Joy Crawford, Clifford Green, Judy Harden, Georgia McDonnell, Dee Prewitt and Lavada Teichelman; B honor roll—Carolyn Barnett, Sarah Berry, Ruby Campbell, Joe Cowan, James Crowley, Douglas Ford, Charlotte Hester, Mary Jo Hubbard, George Huling, Vermelle Johnson, Billy Lafler, Mac Reid, Annette Smith and Charlotte Wallace.

Sophomores: All As—Delores Carter; A average—Sara Kay Fomby, Everett Gibson, Joyce Grimm, Billy Murff, Jean Powell and Eva Wallace; B honor roll—Perry Davis, Wynama Hayes, Charles Jenkins, Donna Kidd, Benita Smith, Sandra Stuart and Virgil Wilson.

Freshmen: A average—Wyn-vonne Comer, Judy Parker, Alice Rivera, Faye Server, Shirley Griffin, Libby Johnson and Louise Lakey; B honor roll—Pat Branscum, Jo Ann Hallum, Patsy Little, Lupe Lujan, Betty Maberry, Ginger Rabjohn, John Richey, Gloria Rodgers, Glenda Williams and Melba Osborne.

## Two School Trustees to Be Elected April 7

Two school trustees for the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District will be named in the annual trustee election on Saturday, April 7, it was announced this week by district officials.

Terms of Tarlton Willingham and W. C. Eoff are expiring. Willingham, who is completing 23 years on the board, declares he will not seek reelection.

Hold-over trustees are Fred B. Moore Jr., LaFoy Patterson, Noel Weaver, Edward Dodd and Eddie Jay.



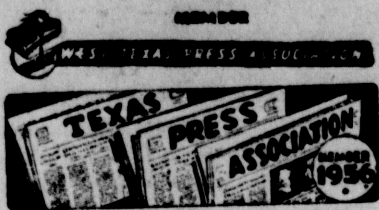
HAPPY REPUBLICANS—Jack Porter (right) ex-GOP national committeeman, and Dallas County chairman Paul O'Rourke are a pair of happy Republicans after learning that President Eisenhower will seek a second term.



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For many years the Texas Press Association—of which this newspaper, along with a vast majority of all Texas newspapers, is a member—has suggested laws that would require governing bodies of the state, various districts and municipalities, to open their records to the public.

In many instances, publication of minutes would be required, and in the case of the agencies handling public funds, publication of a financial statement would be mandatory.

Some progress has been made in these efforts, but not nearly as much as the importance of the project justifies. There never has been a great deal of opposition to the TPA proposals. But they have been shunted aside for other matters.

Apathy—not opposition—has kept them off the statute books.

Now all Texas is concerned over the numerous, unsavory circumstances that have come to light the past few years. There have been the Duval County revelations; the veterans

land investigations; the U. S. Trust and other insurance debacles; to say nothing of smaller local instances of corruption and abuse of public trust of which there have been many.

Men who are in a position to know—such as the attorney general of Texas—say that none of these things could have gone on for long had there been adequate laws governing public notice. It is doubtful that any of them would have been attempted had there been requirements that official actions be made public.

Proper public notice laws will prevent such things in the future. Such laws automatically lead to good government.

This is an election year. If you think public business should be made public, ask each candidate for the Legislature how he feels about secrecy in government affairs. Vote for and support men who pledge themselves to help pass legislation requiring publication of financial reports by insurance companies, county treasurers, and any and all persons who handle public funds.

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This is a true incident concerning the manager of one of the greatest manufacturing plants in the United States. He is known as a rather reserved, quiet, but most efficient executive.

One day a factory superintendent sought the manager in his office, and was told by the manager's secretary, who sat in an outer office, that the manager was "in conference," and was not to be disturbed.

"But how can he be in conference? There's nobody in the office but himself," expostulated the superintendent, an impetuous sort of man. He had seen the manager enter the office alone. "I must see him on a matter of great importance," insisted the superintendent.

"You may come back in fifteen minutes if you wish," said the secretary, "or you may leave your message with me and I'll give it to him as soon as he is at liberty. At present he is not to be disturbed."

The irate superintendent pushed by the secretary and quickly opened the door to the manager's private office. Then, after a quick glance within, he just as quickly and quietly closed the door, and stared, red faced, at the secretary. "Why, he is on his knees!" he exclaimed, astounded.

"Yes, in conference, as I told you," said the secretary.

"I—I'm sorry. I didn't know he was that sort of a man!" apologized the superintendent. "Guess there was One in there with him—of greater importance than I." And he went away, still with an amazed look on his face.

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Each of us, by being what constitutes a good citizen, has unconsciously achieved the dignity of man.

The dignity of man is not a thing that comes to one, or a group, or a nation through grandstand plays, braggadocio, blatant do-goodism, verbose generosity or self-dramatized unselfishness.

The dignity of man is achieved by the simple process of doing the things your heart dictates, of taking for granted the responsibilities of family, business and the social structure in which we live.

The dignity of man is achieved not by making a fanatical show of "do unto others as you would have them do unto you," but rather to unobtrusively recognize that your fellow man has his rights and that it is only natural for you to respect them.

Each of us, by being just a good citizen and wearing the humble mantle of the dignity of man, is a force for everlasting peace on earth.

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Abraham Lincoln was noted for his pungent and appropriate wit.

The Great Emancipator was resting with his campaign manager in a hotel lobby. As usual, the village cut-ups congregated there, and one, bolder than the rest, remarked, "Mr. Lincoln, your speech was good, but there were some points in it that are quite beyond my reach."

The simple Lincoln looked up and chuckled: "Then I am sorry for you. I once had a dog that had the same trouble with fleas."

Financial statements of the major companies show that the packers, by an almost unbelievable elimination of waste and development of profitable by-products, reflect an efficient job at a margin of a small fraction of one penny or each dollar volume of business.—Ogallala, Nebraska, News.

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THEY DESERVE A KIND WORD

School boards never have it easy. At times like this they have it especially hard. The seven dedicated men who make up our board are devoting a great deal of time and effort and thought right now to the problem of how best to integrate our schools, and they are taking an awful beating from the various factions.

There are those who oppose integration in any form. They want to put it off until the law points its finger directly at us and says, "You integrate now."

There are those who want to integrate next fall and hire white teachers to replace the colored ones now in the system.

There are those who want the schools completely integrated and one or more of the best qualified colored teachers retained.

A compromise plan seems to be drawing some support from all three of the above factions. It would integrate the schools but would continue to operate a grade school in the Flats, using colored teachers. Children could attend either grade school they wished.

Our seven trustees are giving this plan careful consideration, along with all the others. We may feel confident that whatever their final decision, it will represent what these good men believe to be the best interests of Littlefield children, white and black, and it will have to be arrived at only after giving careful consideration to every alternative that has been suggested.

Whatever their decision, they deserve our support. They are making a determined effort to serve our community well, and at considerable personal sacrifice. Let's let them know we appreciate their efforts, and not make it any harder for them than necessary.—The Lamb County Leader, Littlefield.

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From the files of The Hamlin Herald are taken the following items of interest of 20 years ago, being reprinted from the issue of March 6, 1936:

Piano pupils of Edwina Gilbert were presented in recital Friday School auditorium. The following evening at the Hamlin High School participated: Verna Mae Colwell, Jo Anne McCrary, Winnie Fay Hassen, Billie Faye Rountree, Joan Culbertson, Dorothy Fern Routh, James Tate May, Anna Mae Calhoun, Marion Martin, Wand Wileman, Anita Anderson, Velta Griffin, Winona Milner, Ruby Jean Young, Harold Fletcher, Fay LaVerne Howard, Mildred Barrow, Rosemary Carlton, Eva Louise Fowler, Lenore Longino, Maxine Brundage, Betty Merle Routh and Beulah Lou Burns.

Prices at Bryant-Link Grocery: White Swan or Maxwell House coffee, three-pound can, 79 cents; sugar, 25 pounds, \$1.29; Crystal White or P. & G. laundry soap, six bars for 25 cents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Decker of McCaulley community last week, a fine son. The little fellow is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. George.

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Goings-on in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following items of interest, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 8 1946:

Contract for paving the McCaulley to Hamlin section of FM Highway 57 will be let within a few days, according to word from the Texas Highway Department.

Hamlin telephone operators, as well as others in many other parts of the Southwest, went back to work Thursday morning after an hour's strike, when settlement was reached with company officials and representatives of the phone workers' union.

Mayor Joe L. Culbertson issued an official city-wide clean-up proclamation this week, urging citizens of Hamlin to cooperate to make the town more presentable. Elton Brigham, Hamlin 4-H Club boy, was principal money winner at the annual Hamlin Club Boys' Livestock Show held last Saturday.

Little interest is being shown in the forthcoming city election Terms of Mayor Joe C. Culbertson and Councilmen Fred Britton, Tom Holman and Guy Wilson expire this year. Hold-over aldermen are I. R. Witt and O. D. Roland.

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Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 3, 1951:

With almost a complete sweep of the swine division, FFA and 4-H Club boys of the Hamlin area took the lion's share of wards at the annual Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show held at Hamlin last week-end. Larry Reynolds and James Bowman were the principal money winners at the show.

Job worry was given as the motive for the murder of his wife and 12-year-old daughter by William K. Jones, Santa Fe Railway section foreman at Hamlin, Monday night. This was the verdict following the inquest of officers.

Good catches of crappie and bass have been reported in recent days from the Hamlin West Lake, according to F. E. Caluble, lake keeper.

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Considered news one year ago in the Hamlin community were the following briefs, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 11, 1955:

First segment of the new street paving program in Hamlin was due to get surfacing course this week-end in Hamlin, according to Roy Dunlap, city coordinator, who is supervising the work for the City of Hamlin.

Approximately \$10,700 in cash and pledges has been tabulated for the fund that will be used to construct the new Hamlin swimming pool at the City Park, according to Jack Russell, drive chairman. It is hoped that actual work on the \$20,000 project can be started within the new two or three weeks.

Names of A. Spencer and Delma Shelburne have been placed on the city election ticket to name two aldermen. Terms of Spencer and A. Hudson are expiring.

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He "Do you believe kissing is unhealthy?"  
She "I can't say... I've never..."  
He "You mean you've never been kissed?"  
She "I've never been sick."

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The seven-step cotton program sponsored by the Agriculture Extension Service is 10 years of age. During its life the average per-acre yield of cotton in Texas has increased 40 pounds per acre over the previous 10-year average.

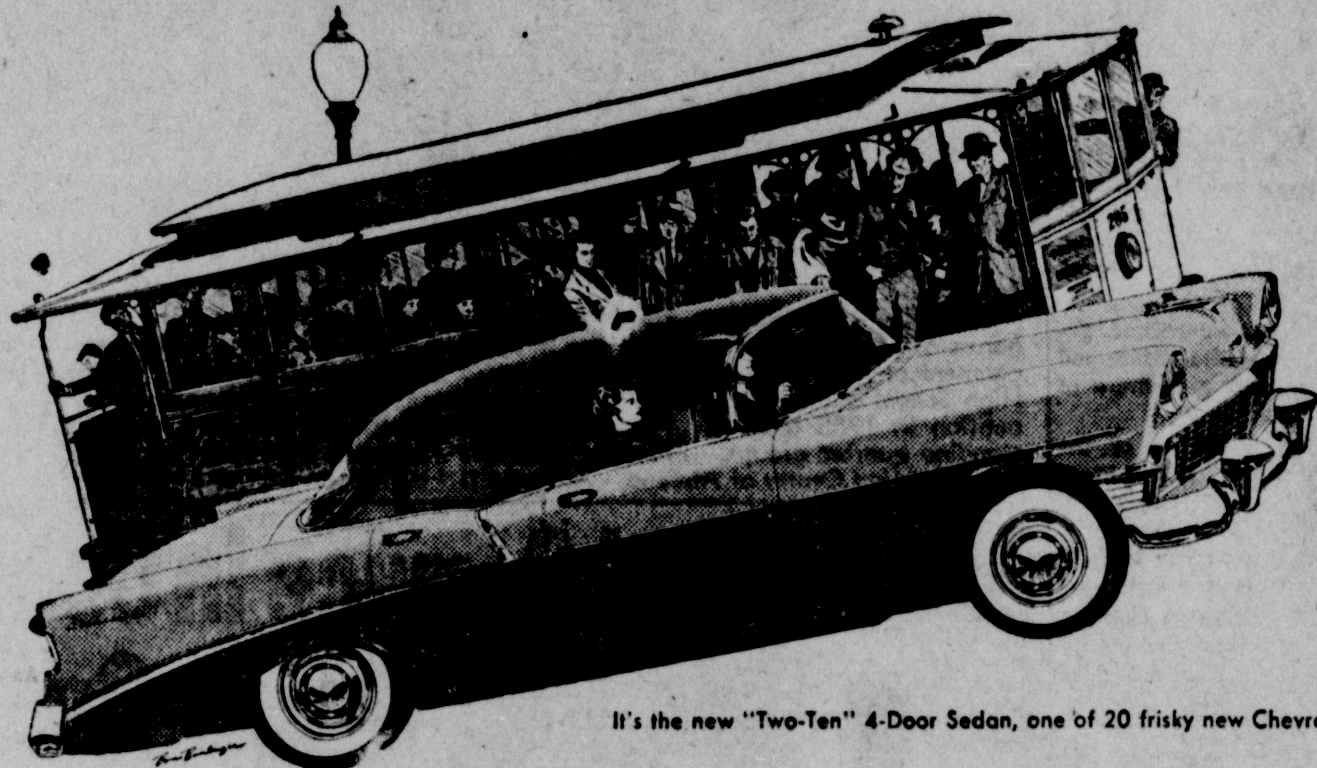
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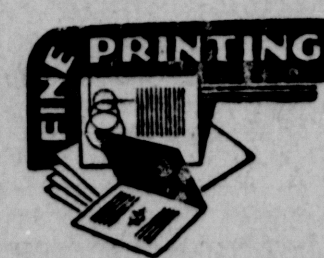


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### Open House Slated At DePriest School For Friday Evening

Observance of Public Schools Week this week in the DePriest Colored School will be climaxed this (Friday) evening, according to E. S. Morgan, principal.

Open house will be conducted beginning this evening at 6:00 o'clock, when all rooms will be open for inspection of equipment and work of the students. A program in the auditorium will begin at 7:30, when musical selections,

orations and other numbers will be presented.

Featured at the open house will be a number of items made in the new shop room under the direction of Roosevelt Jones.

The teachers are expecting to see all parents and a number of others to visit the school during the open house," Morgan declared.

The Christian graces are like perfumes, and the more they are pressed the sweeter they smell; like trees, which, the more they are shaken, the deeper root they take, and the more fruit they bear.—Francis Beaumont.

### Santa Fe Carloadings Show Gain Over 1955

Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending March 3, 1956, were 23,741 compared with 23,581 for the same week in 1955, reflecting a slight gain over the year-ago figure.

Cars received from connections totaled 12,160 compared with 12,471 for the same week in 1955. Total cars moved were 35,901 compared with 36,062 for the same week in 1955. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,348 cars in the preceding week of this year.



**ONE FOE GONE**—Ralph Yarborough (left) long-time bitter opponent of the Shivers administration, smiles as he is shown the announcement that Governor Shivers will not seek re-election, by Woodrow Bean, Democratic executive committee chairman. Yarborough was in El Paso to address an executive committee session.

### Eighth Graders Lead Classes at Junior High School Making All-As Honor Roll

Eighth graders led the all As honor roll with 11 pupils on the rolls released this week for the Junior High School by Principal Marvin Carlton. The sixth grade led the A average honor roll with 12 and the B honor roll with 16. The honor roll is for the fourth six-week period of this school year.

Three classifications are recognized—pupils making 90 or above in each of the four basic courses; pupils making an average of 90 or above in the four basic courses (this allows a pupil to make below 90 in one or possibly two courses); and pupils making 80 or above in each of the four basic courses.

The four basic courses required of every pupil, Carlton explains, are: Mathematics, language arts, history and geography, and science.

The complete honor roll follows:

Sixth Grade: All As—Bill Richey, George Ann Black, Jeannette Jenkins, Tommy Sewell, William Shields, Mary Smith, Linda Bingiam, Alvin Houghton, Elsie Walker and Sherry Seaton; A average—Eddie Townley, Thelma McClung, Wayne Balze, Kenneth Cook, Stanley Austin, Raley Smith, Sandra Smith, Patricia Green, Jerry Smith, Laverne Williams, Rayford Williams, Martha Jordan and Dwayne Wheat; B honor roll—Theresa Carlon, Barry Cheshier, Jerry Warnell, Jerry Duncan, Roy Hogan, Odean West, Johnny Stovall, Billy Charles Goodman, Neal Branscum, Patsy Meeks, Leona Brinegar, Don Brown, Weldon Miller, Carolyn Ray, Wayne Gray and Priscilla Trotter.

Seventh Grade: All As—Sandra Bury, Ann Rabjohn, Georgeanna Fitzgerald, Cliff Drummond, Nina Jean, Clyde Hodnett and Wayne Boatwright; A average—Suzanne Jenkins, Ned Moore, Nell Waldon, Craig Hester, Cecil Robinson and Robert Brandon; B honor roll—Ray Johnson, Bob Johnson, DeNetta McCracken, Charlene Pendley, Jimmy Shivers, Karen Draper, Kenneth Wigginton, Sharon Wyatt, Jesse Kelly, Michael Bond, Cecil Sellers and Jackie Haught.

Eighth Grade: All As—Brenda Fincannon, Ann Richey, Peggy Dodd, Linda Diggins, Carol Jo Simpson, Arlon Balze, Lana Lancaster, Bunny Patterson, Geneva Brinegar, Iona Seaton and Patricia Bigham; A average—Rebecca Ferguson, Patricia Kelly and Sam Mack Hodges; B honor roll—Barbara Cheshier, Martha Gage, Ken Prewitt, Judith Ford, Victor Criswell, Betty Galloway, Phyllis Hollis, Linda Carter, Kaye Millhorn, Dwight Griggs, Terry Scott, Lorin Shields, Durwood Boyd and Steve Stephens.

### Key Educators to Speak at District Teachers Meeting

"Education for Freedom" is the theme of the fifteenth annual convention of District VII teachers, who are meeting Friday and Saturday of this week in Sweetwater. Practically all the 60 teachers of the Hamlin Schools are attending the session. A holiday from regular classes is in effect today (Friday).

Educators of national prominence such as Dr. William Van Til, director of teaching and curriculum at Peabody College; Mrs. Billie Davis "the Hobo Kid"; and Dr. Glenn O. Blough, professor of education at the University of Maryland will speak at the three general sessions according to R. H. Hix, district president.

Speakers for the luncheons and sectional meetings fill more specialized assignments.

Boyce House, director of public relations from the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show of Fort Worth, will speak at the vocational agriculture luncheon.

Panel discussions, book reviews and demonstrations of school materials will be offered at other sectional meetings.

### Walkers Attending Bible School Clinics

Rev. Houston Walker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and his wife are this week attending the State Vacation Bible School Clinic in Dallas.

Rev. Walker is district vacation Bible School leader for District 17 as well as the associational leader for Jones County Baptist churches.

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Ranch Style	Per Pound
COFFEE	79c
COFFEE	Per Pound
WHITE SWAN	89c
Quick Dessert	4 Packages
MY-T-FINE	29c
Shortening	3-Lb. Can
JEWEL	69c
Delite	3-Pounds
LARD	39c
Assorted Flavors	Packaged
JELLO	2 for 15c
Charmin	4-Roll Pkg.
TISSUE	35c
Useable Anywhere	400-Ct. Box
KLEENEX	25c

White Swan	1/4-Lb. Pkg.	1/2-Lb. Pkg.
TEA	29c	57c
Morton's	Quart Jar	
SALAD DRESSING	39c	
Cleansing Cleanser	Giant Can	
AJAX	15c	
Soap	Reg. Bars	
PALMOLIVE	4 for 25c	
Soap	Bath Bar	
CHASMERE BOUQUET	10c	
Schilling's	4-Oz. Can	
BLACK PEPPER	25c	
Libby's	12-Oz. Can	
LUNCHEON MEAT	37c	
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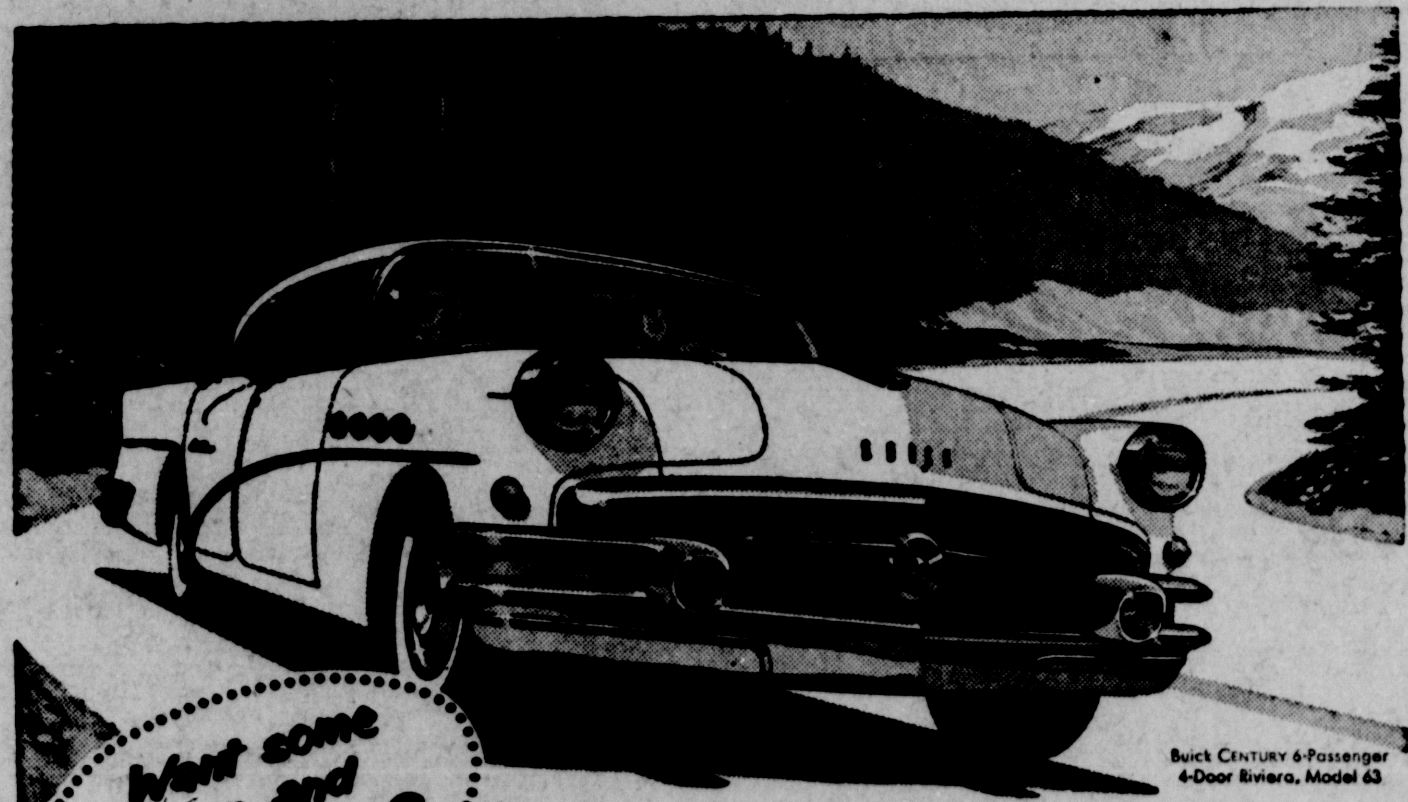
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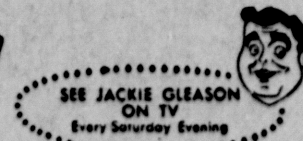
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# The Herald's Page for Women



## Come-As-You-Are Party Featured by Ruth Sunday School Class Tuesday

Members of the Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Bud Trotter Tuesday evening for a come-as-you-are party. Twenty-six members and two visitors attended.

Someone said that it should have been called a "pajama party."

## Norma Brown, Bride-Elect Honored Friday At Gift Tea at Church

Honoring Norma Brown, bride-elect of Gene Williams, a gift tea was given Friday evening in the hospitality room of the First Baptist Church.

In the receiving line with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. W. N. Brown; and Martha O'Neal, one of the hostesses.

The table was covered with a green linen cloth and centered with a replica of cupid standing in the center of a large heart bearing two streamers with "Norma and Gene" on them, flanked on either side with green candles in crystal holders.

Mrs. Raymond Seifres ladled punch from a crystal bowl and served pink tea cakes on pink napkins.

Guests were registered in the white satin bride's book by Edith Barnett.

Gifts were shown by Mrs. Connie O'Neal. Mrs. W. M. Barnett said the good-byes.

## Gift Shower Honors Mrs. Jerry Bingham, Recent Bride, in Home

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Jerry Bingham, nee Janie Edaburn of Albuquerque, New Mexico, was held last Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams, from 7:00 till 9:00 o'clock.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Thompson Young, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Bingham and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bingham. Presiding at the register was Martha Hubbard. Mrs. Nathalie Graham displayed the gifts.

The serving table was laid with colonial lace over a pink cloth. Table decorations were a bride and groom before an arch in the shape of a heart, with background of greenery. Pink and white streamers with "Jerry and Janice" in gold letters flowed from the table corners.

Mary Jo Hubbard ladled punch. Others assisting were Mrs. Travis Hubbard and Mrs. J. A. Williams. Refreshments of angel food and evil food cake were served to 40 guests. Many gifts were sent.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. J. A. Williams, Travis Hubbard, Nathalie Graham, Henry Downey, Charley Young, Robert Green and Thompson Young.

## Sara Kay Fomby of Hamlin Named to Area FHA Position

Sara Kay Fomby of Hamlin was elected recording secretary of the Area IV Future Homemakers of America when hundreds of Central West Texas high school girls and their leaders met last week-end at Stephenville for the annual business sessions of the group.

Rosanne Croft of Stephenville was installed as president of the area group. Other officers were Linda Hamilton of Rochester, vice president; Sara Kay Fomby of Hamlin, recording secretary; Carolyn Stolle of Lockett, corresponding secretary; Claudia Cooke of Throckmorton, treasurer; Jerry Ann Purser of Ballinger, historian; and Peggy Godfrey of Comanche, public relations officer.

Honorary memberships were conferred on Mrs. Myrtle Bailey, home economics teacher at Hamlin, and Caroline Chambers, former home economics teacher at Wylie.

## DePriest Homemakers Planning Style Show

Mrs. E. F. Ford, instructor in homemaking at DePriest Colored School, and her girls already have begun making preparations for their annual style show.

Date for the show, which will exhibit dresses and other articles made by the girls, has not been set, but it will be in the later spring, Mrs. Ford declares.

Duty is what one expects from others.—Oscar Wilde.

## Home Agent Gives Living Room Talk for Good Neighbor Club

Jimmie Lou Waincott, county agent, gave a program on "Why the Living Room?" when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club of Neinda met Tuesday afternoon at the community center.

Miss Waincott stressed the fact that a living room should be comfortable as well as entertaining.

The club accepted an invitation from the Friendly Circle Club to attend a program at Anderson Chapel school Tuesday night, March 5. The program was to be on "Jury Service" and "Child Delinquency."

Cake and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Fayrene Weaver and Mrs. Inez McCoy, to the following attendants: Mmes. Mildred Weaver, Lucy Carothers, Charlene Joiner, Sydonia Lane, Alice Westmoreland, Adele Kelly, Arlene Faulkenberry, Viva Joiner, Verlon Hodges, and Miss Waincott.

## Friendship Club Sets Luncheon May 4 for Demonstration Week

Plans were made to have a covered dish luncheon at the oil mill guest house on May 4 at 11:00 a. m. to celebrate National Home Demonstration Week, when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met at the guest house Friday in regular session.

Council report was made by Mrs. Fred Young. At the luncheon planned May 4 guests will be invited, and each member will bring a gift—something she has made—to be auctioned off, to make money for the club.

Program for the Friday meeting was on "Oven Meals," given by Mrs. Jap Kemp and Mrs. R. S. Johnson.

Next meeting of the club will be March 9 at the home of Mrs. Grady Smith. Roll call will be "A Thought for the Day." Mrs. Ray Johnson will be director of the program on "Jury Service." Participating on the program will be Mmes. Noble Greer and John Hix.

Luncheon plates were served from the oven meal to Mmes. Noble Greer, Grady Smith, Ester Hastings, Ed Branscum, John Hix, Jack Collins, H. E. Brown, Homer Neal, Robert Johnson, M. S. Johnson, Jap Kemp, Fred Young, Gean Witt and Linda, J. R. Sissom and Sol Branscum; and a new member, Mrs. Art Newcomb.

## Mrs. Tate May Gives Book Review at Meet of Beta Theta Group

A book review of "Smile, Please!" featured the regular meeting of members of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi February 28 in the home of Mrs. Brad Rowland Jr.

The following were served pie and coffee as they arrived: Mmes. L. C. Bonds, Austin Poe, Ed Boaz, Wilson Brannon, Jim Herridge, Garland Preston, Arlie Casle, Earl Smith, C. Weldon Griggs, Truman Nix, Jess Parrish, W. F. Martin, H. L. Mehaffey, Gerald Young, Billy Joe Wilson and a guest, Mrs. Tate May.

Mrs. May gave a review of Mildred Spurrier Topp's book, "Smile, Please!" which dealt with experiences of Mrs. Topp's childhood. The review was both amusing and highly entertaining to the club members.

In a short business session it was decided to have a white elephant sale at the next regular meeting on March 13, in the home of Mrs. L. C. Bonds.

## Fifty-Two Study Club Postpones Meeting

Next regular meeting of the Fifty-Two Study Club has been postponed until March 23 at 3:00 o'clock.

Several members plan to attend the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs convention in Weatherford on the previous date, it is pointed out by club officials.

## MOTOR STILL RUNNING.

As the after dinner speaker kept on a subject of ear-wearying drabness, one of his victims managed to sneak outside, where he found another fatigued listener.

"Has he finished, thank goodness?" that gentleman asked. "Oh, yes, long ago," was the reply. "But he still refuses to stop talking."

## Mrs. W. C. Westbrook Hostess Friday to Fifty-Two Study Club

Mrs. W. C. Westbrook was hostess to the Fifty-Two Study Club Friday afternoon in her home at 44 Northwest Avenue. C. Mrs. Joe League assisted as co-hostess.

Mrs. F. E. Bayouth led the club collect. The president, Mrs. Wilson Brannon, presided during the business session.

Mrs. Cecil Sellers, chairman of international affairs, read a letter from Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman, president of the General Federation of Women's Club, concerning "Crusade for Freedom."

Mrs. Dean Witt, program director, read a quotation from the yearbook, "The kingdom of heaven is like a grain of mustard seed, which a man took and sowed in his field."

Mrs. Cecil Sellers discussed parliamentary procedure.

On the program were Mrs. Irby Weaver and Mrs. Truman Nix, who told the "History of Chittenden Ranch" and showed slides of the ranch house on the 10,000-acre ranch that lies northwest of Anson. Mrs. W. C. Westbrook told about the writings of Larr Chittenden, known as "Po. Ranchman of Texas."

Coffee and strawberry shortcake were served to 18 members.

## Texas Day Program Given at Meeting of Hamlin Literary Club

A Texas Day program was rendered Friday afternoon when members of the Woman's Literary Club met in the home of Mrs. J. W. McCrary.

Mrs. Dick Maberry, director for the program, presented Mrs. McCrary and Mrs. John D. Ferguson, who gave parts. Mrs. McCrary played two organ solos, and Mrs. Ferguson recited Louisa Grace Erdman's "The Far Journey." The book is a living story of the fortitude of men and women who settled the great empire of Texas. Miss Erdman is a teacher of creative writing at West Texas State College at Canyon.

Mrs. M. T. York, first vice president, presided at the business session. Two new members were elected to membership in the club. They are Mrs. Ed Wiggins and Mrs. John Lea.

A new course of study, "The Time Is Now" was decided on by the group.

The meeting was dismissed by the reading of the club collect, led by Mrs. Foster Cook.

## McCaulley P-TA Unit Honors Area Officials

The McCaulley School Parent-Teacher Association entertained Mrs. R. W. Herren, president of the 18th District P-TA Congress, and her guest, Mrs. Hester, vice president of the Haskell P-TA, and Mrs. Holder, recording secretary, with an informal coffee last Tuesday in the McCaulley home-making cottage.

Mrs. W. D. Fagan, president of the Abilene Garden Club, spoke on "The Family Assumes Its Civic Obligation," Monday night of this week at the McCaulley P-TA session, according to Mrs. Orvel F. Hill, president.

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## Many Favorite Foods Are on Plentiful List For Month of March

Hamlin area homemakers will find more than a dozen favorite foods on the March plentiful list. Pork, beef and chickens and fryers too the most plentiful. Supplies of all are heavier than a year ago, with broilers and fryers up almost 50 per cent.

Sharp increases in carry-over more than offset production cutbacks and leaves the supplies of rice well above anticipated domestic and export demands.

Salable stocks of potatoes are about 17 per cent above a year ago, with heaviest supplies in the East and lightest in this area, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service.

Fresh and processed grapefruit continue in heavy supply with the last crop report showing an increase of a million boxes over the previous month.

Canned and frozen cherries are in heavy supply, with the prices below any recent year except the 1950-51 season.

The date harvest was delayed because of weather, and the crop is above the average.

Milk and other dairy products are on the March list. Milk production is at record levels with the flush spring season ahead.

Other foods include peanuts, canned tuna in oil, vegetable fats and oils, and pinto beans.

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## Mr. and Mrs. Lewis LaBaume Living in Snyder Following Church Rites Here

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis LaBaume, former Hamlin residents before their recent marriage, are making their home in Snyder following a wedding trip to Galveston and other South Texas points.

Mrs. LaBaume is the former Patricia Ann Fleckenstein, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fleckenstein, and young LaBaume is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. LaBaume, all of Hamlin.

The young couple repeated wedding vows February 25 at 9:00 o'clock in the evening at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene. Rev. Donald Wellman, pastor of the church, read the double ring rites before an altar decorated with white gladioli in baskets and greenery.

Elizabeth Norton played piano wedding music and accompanied Mrs. Donald Wellman as she sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white embroidered organza dress over taffeta. Her full length skirt was topped with a fitted bodice that was finished with a sweetheart neckline and puffed sleeves. Her hat was scattered with seed pearls and rhinestones, and she carried white carnations atop a white Bible.

Barbara Durham, the maid-of-

honor, wore a blue embroidered organza dress and carried a white nosegay. James Wright was best man.

Following the wedding rites a reception was given in the home of the bridegroom's parents.

On their honeymoon the bride wore a white knit suit with pink accessories and her bridal corsage.

Both the young couple are Hamlin High School graduates, and are employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

## NEW OPERATOR.

Mrs. Inez Nichols, formerly Inez Hunt of Fort Worth, is now associated with Mrs. Worthy's Beauty Shop. She finished training at Seagovins Beauty School at Abilene, and has had advanced courses in modern hair styling.

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Sliced Apples	Comstock	No. 2 Can	27¢
Cherries	Honeybird Red Seed Pitted	30¢ Can	23¢
Apple Pie Mix	Wilderness	No. 3 Can	35¢
Asparagus	Allgreen, Libby	30¢ Can	44¢
Lima Beans	Del Monte Early Garden	30¢ Can	31¢
Golden Corn	Whole Kernel, Country Home	12-Oz. Can	35¢
Sweet Peas	Dr. Early June Garden	2 30¢ Cans	23¢
Sweet Potatoes	Whole, Country Home	No. 2 Can	27¢
Spinach	Libby	2 30¢ Cans	29¢
Spaghetti	Prisco-American	30¢ Can	18¢
Cherub	Mills	3 14 1/2-Oz. Cans	37¢
Carnation	Or. Pot Mills	3 14 1/2-Oz. Cans	40¢
Potatoes	Shoestring, Libby's	2 1/2-Oz. Cans	11¢
Rice	Long Grain, Snow Boat	2-Lb. Pkg.	37¢
Pinto Beans	Sunny Hills	2-Lb. Pkg.	19¢
Large Limes	Sunny Hills	1-Lb. Pkg.	37¢
Witch Hazel	Eureka	4-Oz. Bot.	25¢

Apricots	Highway, Halves, Unpooled	No. 2 1/2 Can	35¢
Preserves	Tea Garden Strawberry	12-Oz. Glass	27¢
Catsup	Taste Tella	14-Oz. Bot.	15¢
Biscuits	Plain or Buttermilk, Puffin	8-Oz. Can	10¢
Joyette	Frozen Desserts, Assorted Flavors	1/2-Gal. Ctn.	49¢

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Egg Shampoo	Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Shampoo	Mennen For Men	4-Oz. Bot.	89¢
Hair Tonic	Vaseline	Large Bot.	52¢
Arrid	Super Spray With Chlorophyll Deodorant	2-Oz. Jar	66¢

### Staples

Coffee	Severin, "Top Quality," 1-Lb. Regular, Drip, Fine Grind Can	89¢
Coffee	Always, "Contains Brazil's Finest," 1-Lb. Pkg.	77¢
Coffee	New Hill, "Extra-Rich," 1-Lb. Pkg.	84¢
Flour	Gold Medal	10-Lb. Bag 93¢
Pure Lard		3-Lb. Ctn. 39¢
Shortening	Mrs. Tuckers	3-Lb. Ctn. 69¢
Cane Sugar		16-Lb. Bag 93¢

### For Tempting Salads

Salad Dressing	Duchess	14-Oz. Jar	28¢
Sandwich Spread	Lunch Box	14-Oz. Jar	40¢
Midget Pickles	Zippy, Sweet	5-Oz. Jar	31¢
Ripe Olives	Ebony, Large	5-Oz. Bot.	32¢
Stuffed Olives	"O-A-Tee," Holsum, No. 6	3-Oz. Bot.	39¢
Salad Oil	Mayday	9-Oz. Bot.	56¢
Chunk Tuna	Light Meat, Sea Treasures	No. 10 Can	29¢

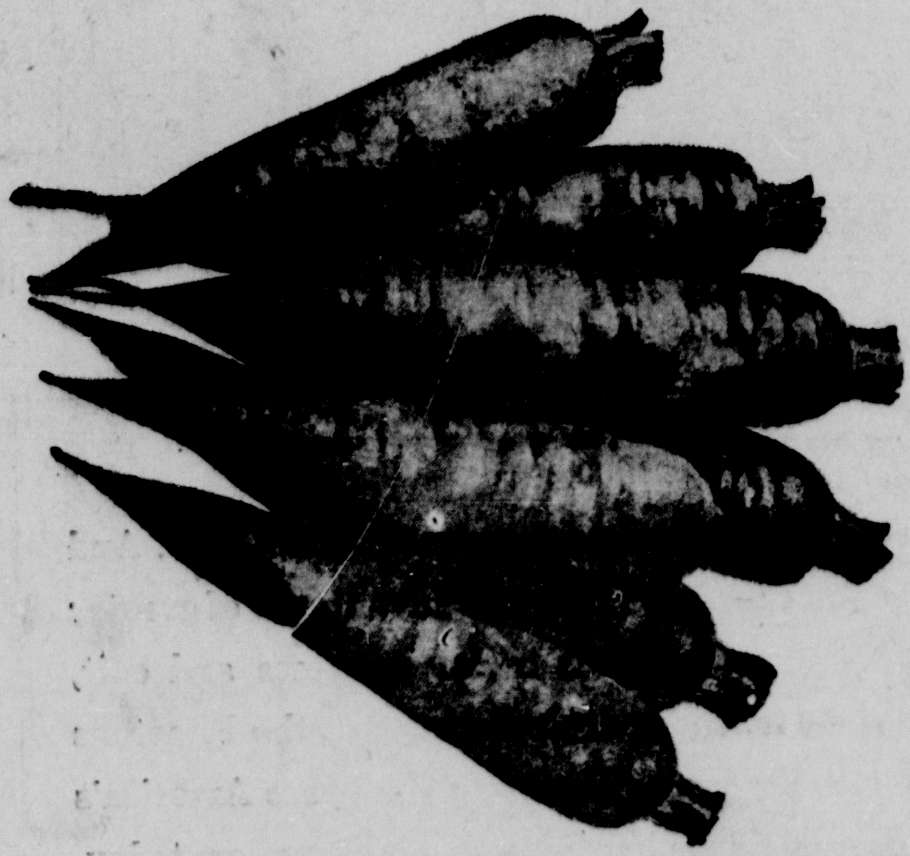
You may not believe it but a couple of tablespoons of peanut butter stirred into 4 cups of oatmeal while cooking gives the oatmeal a flavor the kids will love. Nutritious, too.

### Save at Safeway

Apple Juice	Wartair	32-Oz. Bot.	29¢
Prune Juice	Suntweet	40-Oz. Bot.	47¢
Pineapple	Sliced, Libby	No. 2 Can	32¢
Applesauce	Muselman's	303 Can	20¢
Apple Jelly	Empire Giant	12-Oz. Glass	18¢
Large Prunes	Rosette	1-Lb. Ctn.	37¢

### Save on these

Cheese	American Dutch Mill	1-Lb. Pkg.	99¢
Cream Cheese	Kraft Philadelphia	1-Lb. Pkg.	15¢
Homo Milk	Lucerne	1/2-Gal. Can	47¢
Buttermilk	Lucerne	1/2-Gal. Can	41¢
Non-Fat Milk	Lucerne	1-Gal. Can	19¢
Biscuits	Skylark, "Brown 'N' Berries"	9-Oz. Pkg.	20¢
Hot Cross Buns	Curtsey, 4¢	10-Oz. Pkg.	21¢



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Oranges	California Sunkist Navel, 150's and Larger	Lb.	10¢
Yellow Onions	Texas, Just Right for Stews and Soups	Lb.	6¢

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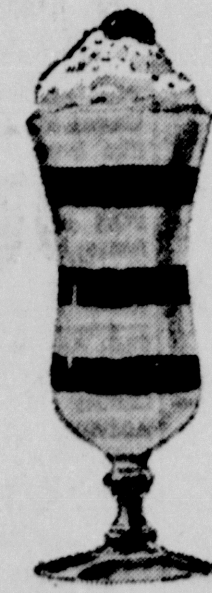
Regular Sliced, White Bread	24-Oz. Loaf	21¢
Sandwich Sliced, White Bread	24-Oz. Loaf	23¢

Pascal Celery Every bunch is compact 11¢  
Bananas Naturally Delicious 14¢



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Grapefruit	Florida, Marsh Seedless	8-Lb. Bag	49¢
Green Onions	Fresh	2 Bunches	19¢
Yams	Texas	Lb.	8¢
Delicious Apples	Red, 125's and 135's	Lb.	15¢
New Potatoes	Florida	2 Lbs.	17¢



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Graham Crackers	1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Strawberry	Instant Pudding, 1-Lb. Pkg.	9¢
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Vanilla	Instant Pudding, 1-Lb. Pkg.	9¢

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Corn Meal Aunt Jemima, White	35¢	Jello Assorted Flavors, Gelatin Bonbons	2 1-Oz. Pkg. 14¢
Welch Jelly Grape or Grapefruit	2 10-Oz. Glasses 39¢	Vanilla Wafers Melrose	1-Lb. Pkg. 29¢
Zippy Pickles Whole, Sour or Dill	22-Oz. Jar 20¢	Quick Grits Mammy Lps	24-Oz. Pkg. 18¢
Green Beans Stokely, Small, Whole	303 Can 20¢	Breeze Detergent	Large Pkg. 29¢
Busy Baker Crackers	1-Lb. Pkg. 27¢	Breeze Detergent	6-Oz. Pkg. 9¢



# The Herald's Page of Sports

## Officers for Little and Pony Leagues Elected for Season

### Eligible Players To Be Registered March 15 and 22

Officers for the two groups were elected for the ensuing season when a joint meeting of supporters of the Pony League and Little Baseball League was held Friday evening.

Elected were: For the Little League—Benny Ford, president; Eddie Jay, vice president; Alvis Bond, secretary; W. T. Johnson, treasurer; and for the Pony League—G. E. Campbell, president; E. B. Hopper, vice president; Alvis Bond, secretary; and W. T. Johnson, treasurer.

It was decided to hold another meeting on March 15 to register all eligible Little Leaguers; and the following week on March 22 the Pony Leaguers will be registered. The time of these meetings will be 7:30 o'clock in the high school cafeteria.

Officials declare that they hope to have available at these meetings a selection of names from which to elect managers of each team.

First five days of April have been designated as the time to raise money to begin the operation of this season. This will be a joint drive for both the Little League and Pony League. Eddie Jay has volunteered to serve as head of the finance committee. The meeting determined that \$500 would be enough to take care of all expenses to get this program underway.

### DePriest Girl Cagers Drop Tourney Finals Tilt to Colorado City

DePriest Colored School's girls' basketball crew was edged out by Colorado City girls in the finals of the Colorado City invitational basketball tournament Saturday at Colorado City.

The Steerettes' first victims was the Crane squad, and the next was Brady. They defeated both of these teams placing them in the finals against Colorado City. They were edged out by Colorado City girls, which placed the girls second in the district.

Shirley Ann Jones, Bobbie Gay Powell and Jimmie Louise Bass were high scorers for the year, reports Coach E. S. Morgan.

### Rotan Girls Defeated By Stephenville Crew

Rotan High School girls' basketball team, champion of District 4-AA, fell by the wayside last Saturday in the regional cage play-offs played at Lubbock.

The Rotan girls were defeated in their first round game by the Stephenville High School aggregation by a 69 to 44 score.

Mary Laney led Stephenville to victory with 32 points, while Jamie Hargrove bucketed 28 points for Rotan.

### BOOK LARNIN'

A youngster, being scolded for a poor report card, asked: "Dad, what do you think is the trouble with me — heredity or environment?"

### Area Athletes to Honored Tuesday At Stamford Feast

Numbers of athletes, coaches and sports fans from Hamlin will be among those present at an area wide banquet honoring the Stamford High School Bulldogs, Texas AA football champions of 1955, the coaching staff and Gordon Wood, the AA coach of the year, Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the Stamford National Guard armory.

The Avoca state champion basketball team and its coach, Granville Hastings, basketball coach of the year, will also be guests.

The banquet is being sponsored by the Stamford Exchange Club, and tickets will be on sale at Howard City Drug and Waggoner Drug Store in Hamlin. The tickets are \$2 each.

Both men and women will attend the banquet.

Abe Martin, head coach at Texas Christian University of Fort Worth, will be principal speaker, and Bill Whitmore, publicity director at Rice Institute of Houston, will be master of ceremonies.

### Band Director Parrish Playing with Abilene VFW Unusual Band

Jess Parrish, band director at Hamlin High School, is a member of the newly formed band of the Clayton Leach post of Veterans of Foreign Wars of Abilene, which has been labeled one of the most unusual bands in the nation.

It is an organization open to amateur and professional musicians alike, and to members and non-members of the VFW. At the present time the membership of the band includes 18 band directors of this area; local business and professional men and students of the area schools.

This band is organized and operates on the principle of the old time community band. The music played is music which is selected for the pleasure of the listener as well as the players. It is organized for anyone who likes to play or listen to good band music.

## Eight Teams of Sixth Graders Climax Basketball Season in Inter-Squad Tilts

Sixth grade boys of Hamlin Junior High School have finished their basketball for the season, and will be ready to play a good brand of ball next year, declares Coach Harry Martin.

The boys were divided from time to time and played short games throughout the season. They climaxed the season with a tournament. There were enough boys for eight teams, with five substitutes. Substitutes took the places of boys who happened to be absent on the day their teams were to play.

Following is a run-down of the tournament:

Team One, composed of Wayne Baize, Curtis Payne, Zender Ingram, Ronnie Lee Isbell and John Ferguson, won first place, defeating Team Two by a 7 to 2 score; winning over Team Four by 11 to 7; and for first place winning over Team Six 11 to 4.

Team Six won second place, taking their first tilt over Team Five 12 to 6; winning over Team Eight 20 to 9; and being defeated by Team One in the finals 11 to 4. The boys were Frankie Lee, Roy Hogan, Jimmy Cooper, Barry Cheslier and Rayley Smith.

Team Four won third place, winning over Team Three 12 to 7; losing 11 to 7 to Team One; and winning their third game over Team Eight by a 9 to 6 score. On this squad were Stanley Austin, Alvin Houghton, Curtis Carter, Joe Orona and Jerry Warnell.

Team Eight won fourth place, winning over Team Seven 4 to 2; losing to Team Six 20 to 9; and

losing to Team Four 11 to 7. On this squad were Max Cowan, Joe Yocham, Weldon Miller, Raymond Tobar and Johnny Stovall.

In the consolation bracket Team Seven took fifth, losing their first melee to Team Eight 4 to 3; winning second game from Team Five 18 to 6; and winning the third game from Team Three by a 14 to 6 count. Boys were Tommy Sewell, Rayford Williams, Robert Spaulding, Jerry Smith, Jerry Duncan and Jesse Mendoza.

Team Three won sixth place, losing their first game to Team Four 12 to 8; winning the second tilt from Team Two 10 to 8; but losing the third game to Team Seven 14 to 6. One this group were Babe Shields, Bobby Woolf, Neal Branscum, Donald Brown and Jerry Don Sappington.

Team Five took seventh place.

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### Business Services

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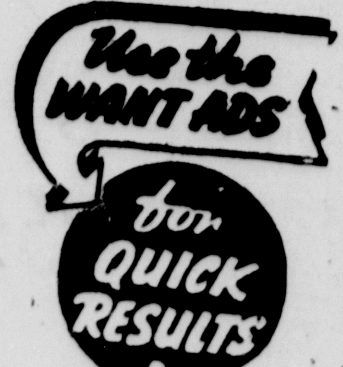
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LEO GORCEY HUNTZ HALL in

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GENE AUTRY in

"ROBIN HOOD OF TEXAS"  
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Sunday and Monday, March 11th and 12th—

"THE TENDER TRAP"

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Tuna	Torpedo. Grated	No. 1/2 Can	25¢

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Napkins Colored. Zoo	50 Count	15¢
Napkins White. Zoo	50 Count	15¢
Large Napkins Zoo. Dinner	40 Count	15¢
Towels Zoo	Rolls	19¢
Sandwich Bags Zoo	30 Count	10¢
Lunch Bags Zoo	30 Count	10¢
Syrup Bud. Waffle	24-Oz. Bottle	49¢
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Libby	2 8-Oz. Can	19¢
or Vegetables. Gerbers	4 4 1/2-Oz. Can	33¢
Gerbers	4-Oz. Pkg.	17¢
"Ultra-Refined." Bleach	1/2-Gal. Bot.	32¢
Gold Seal	16-Oz. Can	59¢
Zee. Assorted Colors	Family Pak 4-Roll	35¢
White. Zee	Family Pak 4-Roll	35¢

Good Buys

Orange Juice	Scratch Treat. Frozen	4-Oz. Can	15¢
Pink Salmon	Prince Leo	No. 1 Can	59¢
Dog Food	Beef or Horse Meat. Vigo	Can 1-Lb.	11¢
Kleenex	Facial Tissue. White-Pink-Yellow	400 Cnt.	27¢
White Eggs	Large Grade A Breakfast Eggs	Per Doz.	58¢

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Sliced Peaches	Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	35¢
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Bartlett Pears	Libby	No. 2 1/2 Can	46¢
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## Subsidy for American Ships Blocking Movement of Surpluses, Burleson Says

The Department of Agriculture reported to Congress that the law requiring that at least 50 per cent of the surplus agricultural commodities sold by the government to foreign nations must be shipped in American vessels has blocked sale of a sizeable amount of these products, according to this week's release from our congressman, Omar Burleson of Arizon, through his column, "Washington: As It Looks from Here." His release continues:

"They report that one such sale to Denmark in the sum of \$11,200,000 was stalled because of it, and that another sale of \$40,000,000 in surplus commodities to Norway, Sweden and England was prevented because of it."

This is the provision which I attempted to strike from the bill last year, but was defeated on the floor in the effort.

Many people talk about the farmer being subsidized, but this requirement that at least 50 per cent of the surplus commodities sold must be delivered by American ships is not only a subsidy to the shipping companies but is a handicap to the government and to the farmer in selling our surplus agricultural products.

President Eisenhower has told Congress that the Post Office Department is losing \$1,000 a minute and has asked for increases in the cost of stamps.

He suggests that the ordinary letter be increased to four cents and airmail from six to seven cents. In addition, he asks that second class mail, which is newspapers and magazines, be increased by about 15 per cent each year for two successive years. He further suggests that third class mail, which is mostly advertising, be increased immediately by 30 per cent.

It is estimated that these increases will produce \$406,560,000.

## Noble Canida, Music Teacher at DePriest School, Enters Army

Noble Canida, music instructor at DePriest Colored School, will leave March 13 for service in the Army, school officials announce. Canida has worked at DePriest approximately a year and a half, and the faculty and entire student body regret seeing him leave.

The music department has progressed immensely under Canida's supervision. Some of the accomplishments are: Establishment of the DePriest Concert Choir; male quartet, which placed second in the state and has appeared on television and in many churches and clubs in Jones County; the female quartet which placed first in the state; and other activities, including his own appearance in musical programs.

"Canida has served as an asset to the school and community," Principal E. E. Morgan declared. Thursday night he was due to present his final program for the year. The program was to be made up of musical numbers from the band and choir.

### GROPING FOR WORDS.

Two chums met at a trade convention 20 years later. One asked, "And how is your wife?"

The other replied, "My wife is in heaven."

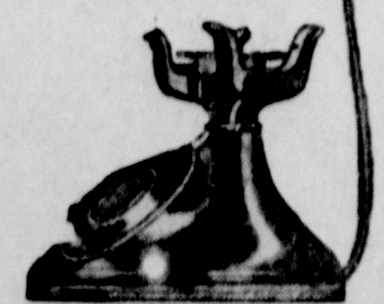
The first one blushed and blurted out, "Oh, I'm sorry." Then he quickly realized that was not the thing to say, so he changed to, "I mean I'm glad." And that was even worse.

At his wit's end he finally came out with, "Well, I'm surprised."



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## "Save Your Vision" Week Stresses Need For Frequent Checks

National "Save Your Vision Week" is being observed this week, March 4 to 10, by area optometrists in connection with the American Optometric Association.

Purpose of the week is to focus public attention on the need for more frequent eye examinations among school children and senior citizens.

Parents and teachers are urged to be more observant of young eyes. Children must read 200 to 300 books before graduating from high school. The tremendous amount of eye work is done during a child's most formative years. One out of four children cannot stand the strain and become near-sighted or partially blind in one eye, while still others develop a tremendous dislike for reading, optometrists declare.

Senior citizens must use caution about their eyes, too, as most cases of blindness are due to neglect. Everyone past 40 should have yearly eye check-ups to avoid loss of sight from cataract, glaucoma, eyestrain, diabetes, cancer, high blood pressure, kidney diseases and other eye inflammations.

### ROTARY HOES SAVE.

Cotton farmers using 38,161 rotary hoe equipped tractors last year cut an estimated \$12,300,000 from their hoe bill.

A person who thinks by the inch and talks by the yard should be removed by the foot.



**TEXAS HOMEMAKER OF TOMORROW**—Sammie McLallen of Hereford High School, Hereford, Texas, was named Texas' Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow. She received the state's highest score in a written homemaking examination and will be awarded a \$1,500 scholarship by General Mills. She will also receive an expense-paid trip with her school advisor April 8-12 to Washington, D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Philadelphia. Miss McLallen will be a candidate for the All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow \$5,000 scholarship award.

## Numbers of Hamlin Area Farmers Being Aided by Farmers Home Administration

Numbers of Hamlin area farmers have been benefited by the loan program of the Farmers Home Administration.

Approximately \$5,130,000 or 42 per cent of the production and subsistence loans obtained by the farmers in Texas from the FHA during the past year were used to purchase equipment, livestock and make similar investments, Walter T. McKay, state director for the agency, said in a release to The Herald.

Farmers are making these investments to set up the kind of farming systems that will make the most of their labor, land and other resources, FHA leaders say.

Production and subsistence loans are also made for fertilizer, seed tractor, fuel, insecticides and other farm and home operating expenses. The loans bear five per cent interest, and repayments are scheduled in accordance with the borrower's ability to repay. Loans for crop production are repayable when income from the crop is received. Loans for capital investments are repayable over periods up to seven years. The maximum loan is \$7,000, and total indebtedness cannot exceed \$10,000, FHA officials declare.

Several steps are taken by the Farmers Home Administration to assist farmers in making the best use of their loan funds. Before a loan is made a complete farm and home plan is prepared by the farm family with the assistance of the agency's local supervisor. The plan shows how the farm will be operated, estimated yields and income, and a budget for farm and home expenses. Provision is made for the production of a large portion of the family's food supply and provision is made in the budget for household expenditures and medical care.

No loan is made unless the farm and home plan shows that the farm, when properly operated under normal conditions, will produce an income that will provide the family a good living and enable them to repay their debts.

Guides have been established with the aid of the Extension Service and other agricultural agencies that show desirable combinations of enterprises, amount of land, quantity of livestock, amount and quality of pasture, and feed, acres of cash crops, and the yield per acre and production per animal that are needed for the successful operation of family

type farms in each given area. These guides are used in developing the farm and home plans.

In addition, at the end of the crop year, a complete review of the year's operations is made by the farm family and FHA supervisor to determine which farm enterprises were the most successful and what further improvements are to be made in the coming year.

Credit is also extended by Farmers Home Administration for financing annual operating expenses. These loans are short-term credit designed to help farmers finance one year's operations. Annual production and subsistence loans may be made to farmers provided there is a sound basis for credit. This means that the anticipated income from farming and other sources must be sufficient to repay the loan, meet farm and home expenses not provided for in the loan, and provide a reasonable margin above such amounts. This type credit is in addition to emergency loans available to farmers or ranchers primarily engaged in farming, McKay stated.

Real estate credit for purchase and development of family type farms, for financing soil conservation measures, and for the development of water systems for farm home, livestock and irrigation are also available.

## James Rodgers Makes Texas Tech Honor Roll

James E. Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rodgers of Hamlin, was one of 352 students at Texas Technological College at Lubbock who were listed on the honor roll issued this week by W. P. Clement, registrar.

The list contains the names of students enrolled for 12 semester hours or more during the fall semester who ranked in the upper five per cent of their division out of the more than 7,000 students at Tech.

Young Rodgers is a sophomore, taking a business administration course.

### SURPLUS FOODS MOVE.

More than 800,000,000 pounds of surplus foods were distributed by the United States during the last six months of 1955 to school children and needy persons in this country and abroad.

## Unlicensed Drivers Reflect Violations In Courts of State

Haling of a goodly number of motorists without valid drivers' licenses into city and justice courts in recent months emphasize the number of people who are operating cars without the necessary licenses, Mayor Willard Jones pointed out this week as he was advised by the Texas Highway Patrol campaign to eliminate such drivers from the road.

The unlicensed driver was pointed up as a traffic hazard on Texas highways in a statement by Colonel Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

In quoting a survey made during the first six months of 1955 by the Texas Highway Patrol, Garrison said the unlicensed Texas driver is two and a half times as likely to be involved in an accident as a licensed driver. He also said the survey of rural highways showed that when involved in an accident the unlicensed driver's mishap is half again as apt to prove fatal as that of the licensed driver.

In explanation Garrison said, "The irresponsibility of the driver in not obtaining a license is a reflection of the character of that driver and his driving habits."

"In most instances the unlicensed driver is deficient in either his physical and learned abilities or his driving attitude. In obtaining a license and taking the driver tests, his deficiencies are brought to light before an accident occurs. By being aware of his shortcomings and making adjustments for them a driver usually is able to avoid being involved in a costly traffic accident."

Only 3.9 per cent of the driving public is unlicensed, yet 9.8 per cent of the drivers in non-fatal accidents and 13.9 per cent in fatal accidents are unlicensed.

## Emergency Feed Plan Extended for Month

Current emergency feed program for Jones County has been extended until April 15, according to Leonard C. Williams, county supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration, who had been advised this week by telegram from Walter T. McKay, state FHA director.

Applications will be accepted to and including March 16, 1956, for supplies of feed grain in all presently designated counties sufficient to carry the feeding of livestock up to and including April 15.

Williams pointed out that applications to be acted upon by FHA committees not later than March 19, 1956.

See The Herald for pencils.



**STATE CHAIRMAN** of the traditional annual appeal in 1956 will be Munger T. Ball (above), well known maritime shipping executive of Port Arthur and a pioneer organizer of aid for crippled children will open March 10.

## Results of Grain Sorghum Tests in Area Now Complete

Final results are in on the grain sorghum variety test conducted on the Durwood Neville farm last summer, declares County Agent Bill Lehmborg. H. R. Carpenter conducted the tests in conjunction with the Agricultural Extension Service and the Jones County Veterans Vocational Schools.

Total yields in pounds per acre for each variety are reported as follows: Redbine 60, 995 pounds per acre; Combine Kaffir 60, 1,009 pounds per acre; Martin milo, 763 pounds per acre; Combine hegar, 818 pounds per acre; and 7078 milo, 1,309 pounds per acre.

This makes the second successive year for a test of this nature, and 7078 milo has been the highest yielding variety for both years.

The following comments were sent in with the report: Two-inch rain at planting time; 12.75 inches had fallen up to June 20; A few light showers fell in July; and total on September 24 of 14 inches had fallen; on September 24 five inches fell; and on October 2 one inch fell. The late rain caused tillering. Due to dry growing season, maturity was delayed and heads were small. The 7078 variety, most popular dry weather sorghum in area; Martin, very popular with farmers as is 7078 generally; Redbine 60, so much unfavorable conditions since this has been available, we have not gotten a true test; Combine hegar makes small heads, slow to mature, many tiller heads, large amount of forage.

Another series of variety tests will be conducted during the 1956 growing season, according to the county agent.

## Traffic Law Violators Account for Big Per Cent of Accidents, Surveys Prove

"Traffic law violators do have accidents!"

That statement was made this week by E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., in an address outlining the Know-and-Obeey-Traffic-Laws program which is being sponsored in Texas by the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Statistics prove that traffic law violations figure largely in traffic fatalities," McFadden said. "In 1954, according to the National Safety Council, 83 per cent of the fatal accidents involved violations of traffic laws by one or more drivers."

Pointing out that traffic accidents don't just happen but are caused—often by willful disobedience of traffic laws—McFadden said law enforcement agencies need the support of the whole community in building greater respect for traffic laws.

"The time to stop an accident is before it happens," he said. "A driver who doesn't know the traffic laws, even though he might mean well, can play havoc with his own life and those of others. And that goes for pedestrians too."

Pointing out that not only were motorists aggravating the traffic problem by their recklessness and disregard of the traffic laws,

but that pedestrians were also guilty, McFadden urged each citizen to accept his responsibility to walk and to drive carefully.

"It is only through this individual sense of responsibility for safety for oneself and for others that we can hope to cut down on traffic accidents," McFadden said.

## Celotex Earnings for First Quarter Are Up

The Celotex Corporation will show earnings of about \$1.25 a share in the first quarter ended January 31, as against 77 cents a year ago, O. S. Mansell, president, estimated for stockholders at the annual company meeting at Chicago last week.

Sales volume, including those of the Hamlin plant, will reach approximately \$17,400,000, compared with \$14,760,000 in the first quarter last year, he said. Mansell pointed out that final figures will not be available until next month.

### MESQUITES ARE COSTLY.

A mesquite tree requires about 2,000 pounds of water to produce a pound of leaves and bark, while 800 pounds of the precious liquid will produce a pound of cotton or 600 pounds of grass. Worthless trees are moisture and money robbers.

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# Big Movements of Livestock Continue To Keep Prices at Low Level on Markets

Over 110,000 cattle and calves and 102,000 hogs were reported at 12 major livestock markets Monday, according to the weekly release of Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald. His release on the markets follows: Prices on fed cattle and butcher hogs were under pressure and closed lower again at all points.

Aside from dry lot fed steers, yearlings and heifers the cattle and calf trade at Fort Worth Monday was about steady. Some interests were talking lower on

cows, but shippers and independent packers took the bulk of the supply at steady prices. Bulls, slaughter calves and stocker and feeder classes were firm.

Comparative prices: Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings brought \$14.50 to \$17.50; common to medium kinds, \$11 to \$14; fat cows, \$11.50 to \$12.50; canners and cutters, \$8 to \$11.50; bulls, \$10 to \$14.75; good to choice slaughter calves, \$16 to \$18.50, a few fancy to \$19; common and medium, \$13 to \$15.50; culs, \$10 to \$13; steer stocker calves, \$18.50 down; steer yearlings, \$18 down; replacement cows, \$8 to \$13.50.

A distribution sale of stocker cows and pairs will be held at Fort Worth April 13 and will be jointly sponsored by the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Association, the Texas Hereford Association and the Fort Worth Livestock Market Institute.

The sale will be open to all breeds, as well as those of predominantly Hereford or Angus breeding. There will be no classes or judging, and it will be an opportunity for those seeking replacement cows or pairs to look over a sizeable number of all kinds and different quality.

With the improved pasture conditions in much of the Southwest it is expected that there will be heavy demand for females to rebuild herds depleted by the drought. Considerable interest has been indicated from Southern and Southeastern buyers, as well as from the southwest.

Some of the new crop lambs have been showing up in the receipts at Fort Worth in the past couple of weeks, and some of these choice milk lambs have been bringing \$18.50. Old crop woolled fat lambs sold around \$18 down, with a few club lambs to \$18.50 Monday.

Fall shorn or No. 1 pelt lambs sold from \$17.50 to \$18, and No. 2 pelts sold around \$17, with some freshly shorn lambs from \$16 to \$16.50. Packers were taking practically all of the lambs at prices that surpassed the feeder buyers' bids.

Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs sold from \$12 to \$16. Slaughter ewes freshly shorn sold at \$6.50 to \$7, and some woolled canner ewes sold from \$7.50 to \$8. Some freshly peeled yearlings sold at \$14, and some with more pelt sold to \$16 and \$16.50.

Butcher hogs opened steady to 25 cents lower Monday at Fort Worth, with choice kinds topping at \$12.25 to \$12.50, and the less desirable weights and grades from \$10 to \$12.

Packing hogs were steady to 50 cents higher and sold from \$9.50 to \$11.



**GRAND CHAMPION**—Wayne Poe, 18 (right) a 4-H Club youth from Goldwaite smiles broadly after his 940-pound Hereford steer was picked as the grand champion of the Houston Fat Stock Show. Shown with him are Ralph Johnson (left) show board chairman and Archer Romero, president of the show.

## Many People Are Eligible for Benefits Under Social Security, Official Declares

A good sized number of the people who read The Herald could get social security checks by applying for them, but don't know of their eligibility, according to R. R. Tuley Jr., Abilene district manager for social security.

Tuley explained that these people are eligible: 1. Insured persons between 65 and 72 earning \$1,200 or less in a year can draw their full benefits. They can get some checks even if their earnings are as high as \$2,080 in a year. Income from investments, rentals, interest, etc. do not count as "earnings." The word "insured" means having credit for a certain amount of social security work. Those 65 before July 1, 1953, are insured with as little as one and one-half years' work. Those just now reaching age 65 need two years of social security credits.

2. Anyone now 72 or over who has as much as one and one-half years' work covered by social security can get full benefits regardless of present earnings. 3. There is a special rule for survivors of persons who died between 1940 and September 1, 1950. If any such person had as much as one and one-half years of social security credits at the time of his death, benefits may now be paid to his widow at age 65, or to any unmarried children still under the age of 18.

Tuley urges anyone who thinks he or she may qualify under one of the above provisions to get in touch with his office promptly. He emphasized that no social security benefits can be paid until a claim application has been filed, and that he has no means of identifying any notifying all those who may be eligible.

## Resident of Area For 50 Years, Mrs. Mattie Reid, Dies

A resident of Jones County for more than half a century, Mrs. Mattie Reid, 69-year-old wife of a pioneer farmer of the New Hope community, died last Wednesday morning at a Stamford sanitarium after a serious illness of three weeks.

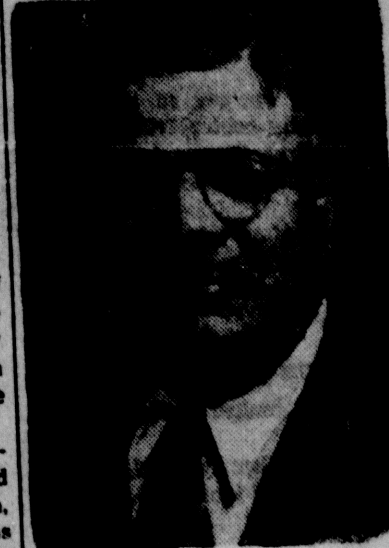
Funeral services were conducted Thursday at the Stamford Church of Christ. Delton Haun, Waxahachie minister, and Silas Triplett, minister of the Stamford Church of Christ, officiated. Interment was in the New Hope Cemetery under the direction of Kinney Funeral Home.

Mrs. Reid was born Mattie Parker Nash at Bono in Johnson County on November 7, 1886. She was married to Burnia Reid in Jones County in 1902. They reared their family in the New Hope community. Mr. Reid died in May, 1946, and Mrs. Reid moved to Stamford in 1950.

Survivors are six sons, F. E. (Bo) Reid of Stamford, L. R. Reid of Tulsa, Burnia Reid of Hamlin, W. H. Reid of Odessa, B. B. Reid of Lubbock and C. E. Reid of Houston; four daughters, Mrs. M. L. Bolding of Stamford, Mrs. W. R. Taylor of Abilene, Mrs. Guy Young of Wenatchee, Washington, and Mrs. Nettie Blackburn of Bakersfield, California; 28 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Also surviving are her step-mother, Mrs. Rosa Nash of Stamford; two sisters, Mrs. Beulah Wade of Post and Mrs. Bob Bouldin of Maryneal; two half-brothers, Elvin Nash of Stamford and Henry Nash of Dallas; and a half-sister, Mrs. Douglas Brock of Aspermont.

There is no such way to attain to greater measure of grace as for a man to live up to the little grace he has.—James Gordon Brooks.



**APPOINTMENT** of Joe L. Culbertson of Hamlin to the five-member state advisory committee for the Farmers Home Administration in Texas was announced this week by Walter T. McKay, state director.

## Senior Class Group Making Flats for Play Scheduled March 23

The seniors in the speech class, under the directorship of their instructor, Doyle B. Smith, are making the flats for the two settings of "A Double Barreled Detective Story," which will be presented March 22 matinee and March 23 in the Hamlin High School auditorium.

Time of the play is approximately the year 1900. The visible action of the play is initiated in Mrs. Stillman's house in New England and concluded in the Hope Tavern, a small inn situated in the western mining town of Hope Canyon, Colorado, about a year later.

Ken Hewett, stage manager, with Wesley Minton and Laverne Wilson are getting all the sound effects which will be appropriate for the production.

When you're young you do a lot of wishful thinking, but as you grow older you do a lot of thoughtful wishing.—Pauline Wagner.

## Joe L. Culbertson of Hamlin Named to FHA Advisory Board of Five Members

Appointment of Joe L. Culbertson to the five-member state advisory committee for the Farmers Home Administration in Texas was announced this week by Walter T. McKay. The appointment becomes effective immediately and extends to December 28, 1958.

## Baptists Engaged in Training Union Enlargement Drive

Hamlin First Baptist Church will engage in a week of Training Union enlargement beginning on March 11, according to the pastor, Rev. Houston Walker.

Several other Baptist Churches in Jones County will be in the same program.

At North Central Avenue Baptist Church Mrs. Miles B. Hays of Lueders will be the instructor. Two state Training Union workers are to be present to conduct the school at the First Church, with Roy Dean in charge and teaching adults. Mrs. James Odom will work with elementary workers.

Books being offered for study each night include "Joy in Church Membership" for adults, taught by Roy Dean; "The Challenge of Church Membership," for young people, taught by Mrs. J. C. Greenway; "Now You Belong," for intermediates, taught by Ed Wiggins; and "My Church and I" for juniors, taught by Harold Eades. Courses will also be offered in "Elementary Leadership" for the workers with children, as well as "Bible Stories" for the children.

Courses will begin each evening at 7:00 o'clock. Other activities will include the reworking of the Training Union organization, seeking to parallel the organization with that of the Sunday School. Plans are being made to add more adult unions and more elementary unions at the First Church, Rev. Walker declares.

Culbertson, who owns and operates a farm near Hamlin, is a graduate of Texas A. & M. College, a director of the Jones County National Farm Loan Association and president of the board at this time. He is a counsellor of Texas A. & M. Research Foundation, a member and past president of both the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce and the Hamlin Lions Club. He is past director of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. From 1934 to 1946 he was mayor of the City of Hamlin.

Farmers Home Administration makes loans to operate and improve farms and ranches. Its services are limited to farmers and ranchers who are unable to obtain financing they need from other sources. The state advisory committee helps the state director adapt national policies to local conditions, suggests ways to make the program more effective, and helps in coordinating the FHA with activities of other agencies operating in the field of agriculture. Other members of the committee are John H. Head of Clarendon, Mrs. Sam Singleton of O'Donnell, Miles E. Hastings Jr. of Waxahachie and John H. Ott Jr. of Chapman Ranch. G. G. Gibson, director of the Extension Service for Texas, serves as ex-officio member.

**QUARREL STOPPERS.** Caleb C. Colton, English clergyman, said: "Two things, well considered, would prevent many quarrels: First to have it well ascertained whether we are not disputing about terms rather than things; and secondly, to examine whether than on which we differ is worth contending about."

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## Undulant Fever Cause Traced to Milk and Contact with Animals

Undulant fever has been called the great masquerader as its symptoms are the same as many other diseases, according to Dr. Henry A. Holle, commissioner of health, in a release to The Herald. It is also known as brucellosis and Malta fever. It occurs sporadically in Texas, which indicates that it is a public health problem and needs more recognition by the public.

Undulant fever is so called because of the wave-like variations in temperature. The symptoms include rise in temperature, loss of weight and strength, chills, sweats and joint pains. The disease has a rather low mortality rate, but important because symptoms may persist for a number of weeks and even months before normal health and strength are restored.

In Texas, goats and cows are the usual spreaders of this disease. The germs of undulant fever enter the body through the mouth or skin. Therefore, care should be used in handling animals known to be infected, and dairy products from the same sources, if used, should be pasteurized.

More men acquire this disease than women due to the fact that their work as stockmen or meat cutters offers more chance of exposure.

The true prevention of undulant fever is based upon the detection of the disease in livestock and the elimination of infected stock. All dairy herds should be tested for bacillus abortus.

Pasteurization of milk will prevent the spread from this source. When grade A pasteurized milk is used the consumer is assured that the milk is not only safe but clean.

## SUNDAY VISITORS.

Visiting Sunday afternoon and for the evening meal in the Virgil Steele and Mrs. Etta Stephenson home were Mary Dell Fisher, Mary Lois Kirksey, Art Travis and Bob Corley, members of the Life Service Band of Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene; Rev. and Mrs. Earl Thompson and son Mike, pastor and family of McCauley Baptist Church; a friend of Mike's, Mrs. Thompson, mother of the preacher; and Mrs. Etta Steele.

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## Assistance from Individuals and Firms Helps Club Boys in Sales of Price Stock

Hamlin Future Farmers of America boys who showed their livestock last week at the Abilene District Livestock Show realized good prices for their animals at sales during the week-end.

Sales as tabulated by T. C. Blankinship and Harold V. Eades follow:

Gene Steele, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club; Carl Weaver, one steer, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23; Don Drummond, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23.25 and \$23; Boyce Blankinship, one, to safe-way at \$29.25 and one to Hunter & Hunter at \$28.70; DeVaughan Carrigan, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23; Ray Johnson, one steer, to Jay Jameson at \$29; Muri Smith, one steer, to Armour & Company at \$23; Don Adair, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23; Corky Bond, one steer to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23.

Lamb—Gene Murff, two lambs, to Armour & Company at \$17 and \$17.20; Ted Masser, two lambs to Swift & Company at \$19, and one to Armour & Company at \$19.20; Bob Martin, three lambs to Armour & Company at \$17.20 and three to Swift & Company at \$19; Charlie Turner, one lamb to Armour & Company at \$17.20, and five to Swift & Company at \$19; Steve Reynolds, two lambs to Swift & Company at \$17.20; Billy Murff, two lambs, to Armour & Company at \$17 and \$17.20; Charles Nall, one lamb to Armour & Company at \$17, and two to Swift & Company at \$19.

Hogs—Doug Ford, one to Perry Hunter-Hall at \$25; Steve Reynolds, one to Dr. Guy Gillespie at \$25; Donal Johnson, one to West Texas Veterinary Supply at \$24.75; Mac Reid, one to Humble Oil Company at \$24.75; Jerry Crowley, one to Hoppe Auto Electric at \$24.75; Mike Brandon, one to Childs Ready-Mix Concrete Company at \$24.75; Doug Ford, one to McDaniel Music Company at \$24.75; Jerry Crowley, one to Radio Station KWKC at \$24.75; Steve Reynolds, one to Dr. M. T. Ramsey at \$24.75; Donal Johnson, one to Carpenter Bearing Company at \$24.75; Steve Reynolds, one to A. C. Perini Jr. at \$24.75.

The club boys were appreciative of the individuals and busi-

nesspersons who assisted in seeing that their stock brought good prices at the sale. They asked The Herald to make the following statement for them:

We, the Hamlin 4-H Club and FFA boys, take this method to thank each individual and business concern for their financial assistance on the sale of our show steers. "Although your help came as a complete surprise, we assure you it was greatly appreciated."

Due to the high prices of our investment in our steers, costly feed bills and much lower market than we expected, we were due a big loss on our steer feeding projects. You have certainly helped alleviate this financial loss. We realize now that costs and the cattle situation were highly unfavorable for any feed lot operation this year. However, we have gained some valuable experience which we consider may prove valuable in future years.

Again we say thanks for your interest and help. If you need us for anything, please feel free to call upon us at any time.

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## RED CROSS

(concluded from page one) to a hospital. Twenty-one persons trained in first aid are available 24 hours a day.

Water safety: Two persons were sent to aquatic school at chapter expense in 1935. They and three other authorized water safety instructors who received their training at Red Cross expense conducted swimming classes last summer. The instructors were free and taught water safety, life saving and swimming. A total of 112 certificates were issued to children and adults in Jones County.

Nursing Services: A free service given by authorized Red Cross nursing instructors to help train future homemakers and others in hygiene and nursing with 64 completing the nursing course and 24 completing the mother and baby care course.

Largest and most complex service is assistance to servicemen and their families. Mrs. Gambin says. It includes reports and communications, benefits counseling and referral as well as financial assistance. This chapter contacted 120 military bases during 1935 in regard to emergency leaves and extensions, reports on home conditions for servicemen stationed far from home.

Community service is given to those seeking aid from agencies not located in the county and helping those who call on us, Mrs. Gambin said. There were 465 families assisted in this manner during 1935.

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## Games Tonight Will Feature Neinda Meet

Spring opening of the Neinda community center will be staged this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, announce community leaders.

Feature of the gathering will be playing of games. Salted nuts and cold drinks will be served to attendants.

### NATURAL CONSEQUENCE.

First Cannibal—"The chief has hay fever."

Second Cannibal—"Serves him right: I told him not to eat that grass widow."

### CELEBRATION ENOUGH.

"I refused to marry Bob three months ago and he's been drinking ever since."

"That's what I'd call carrying a celebration too far."

Men occasionally stumble over the truth but most of them pick themselves up and hurry off as if nothing had happened.—Winston Churchill.

### BOTH ARE WORRIED.

Small Daughter—"Mama, why did you marry daddy?"

Mama—"You've begun to wonder, too?"

### BELOW YOUR NOSE.

Office Boy—"Sir, there's a salesman outside with a mustache."

Absent Minded Purchasing Agent—"Tell him I've got a mustache."

**Paul Bryan Lumber Co.**  
HAMLIN, TEXAS

The pleasantest things in the world are pleasant thoughts; and the great art of life is to have as many of them as possible.—Montaigne.

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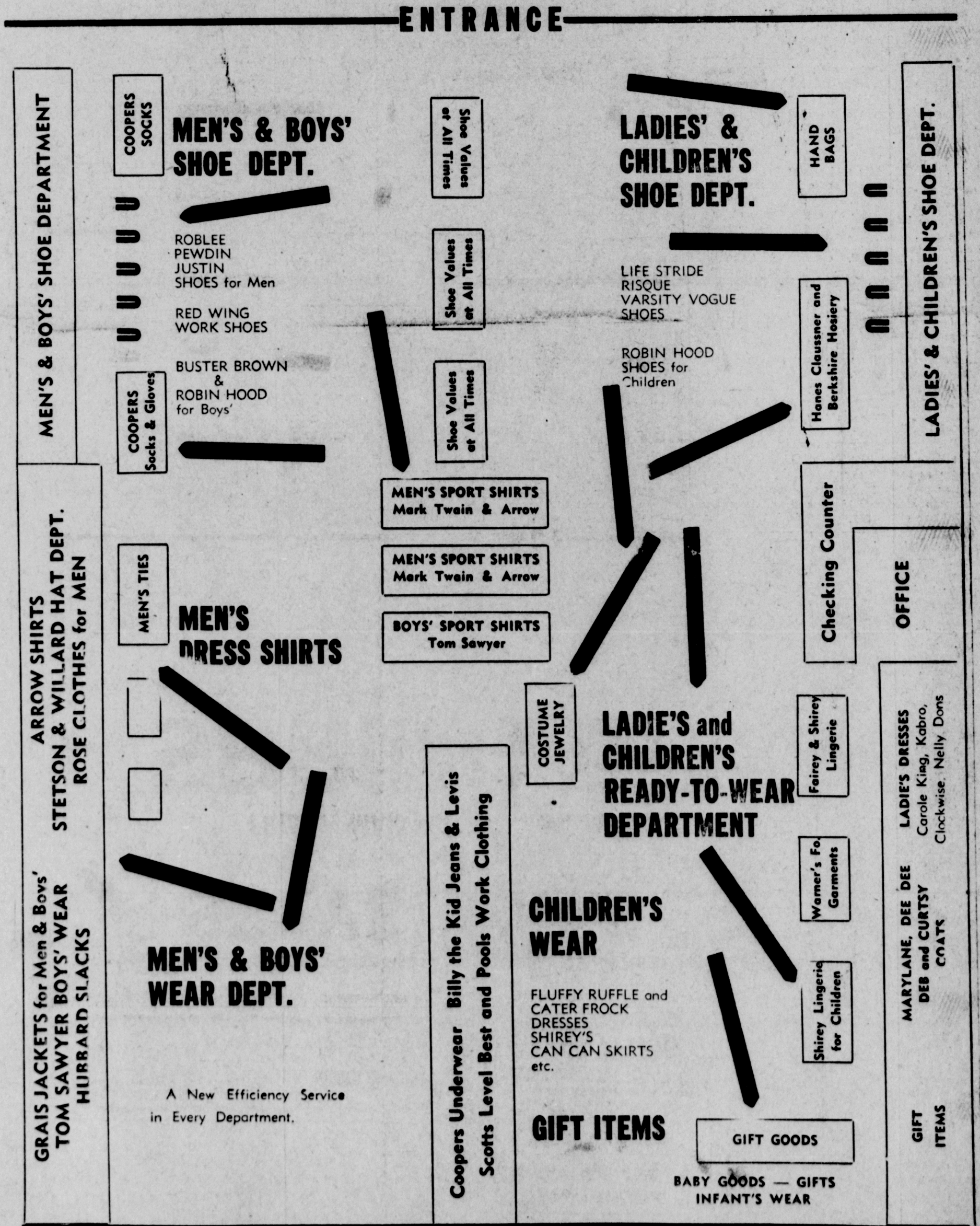
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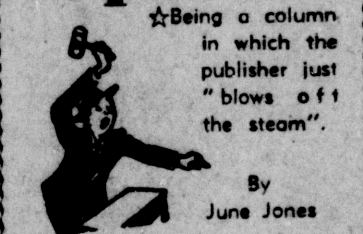
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HAMLIN, TEXAS





I AM 1955. I am gone from you forever. I am the last of a long procession of yesterday, streaming behind you, pouring into mist and obscurity, then into the ocean of oblivion.

Each of my days has been a burden of triumphs, of defeat, of laughter, of bitterness. I do not love you or hate you. I only judge you.

I have no compassion; only Today has that. I have no encouragement for you; only Tomorrow has that.

I stand at the door of the past welcoming the single file of days that pass through, watching Tomorrows becoming Today as they join me. As you grow older I absorb your thoughts. You turn to me more and more, less and less toward Tomorrow.

My snows cumber your back and whiten your head. My icy waters put out your passions. My exhalations dim your hopes. My dead loves, burnt-out enthusiasms, shattered dream-houses, dissolved illusions, move to you, surround you.

Tomorrows come unnoticed. Today slip by unheeded. More and more you become a creature of my Yesterdays.

I am 1955, made up of the world's Yesterdays. If you know enough to put your feet upon me, you can rise rapidly. But when you let me ride on your back, I strangle and smother you.

I am 1955. Learn to look me in the face, to use me, and not be afraid of me. I am not your friend. I am your judge and your fear.

Tomorrow is your friend.

DOC ANKLAM still is one of our favorite squibblers. The fictitious character writes in a paper trade publication coming to our desk. Here are some recent reasons for our admiration:

If all this talk about equality for women ever comes about, it will be quite a comedown for them.

The only time Ez Tike quits looking for work is when he finds a job.

One way to get a perfect hatch for your troubles is to brood over them.

They say Ez Tike's son is some shakes as a forecaster . . . he can look into a girl's eyes and tell whether.

One of the great mistakes in life is to continually fear you will make one.

Egotism is the art of seeing in yourself qualities that no one else can.

FROM STAMFORD a man and woman went over into New Mexico one Friday and visited the home of a justice of the peace and asked to be married.

The justice said he would be glad to perform the ceremony except that under state law they had to wait three days.

The man appeared troubled. He then asked: "Can't you just say a few words to tide us over the week-end?"

THIS YARN further proves the arrogance of the Russian leaders:

A Russian named "Rudolph the Red" stood looking out the window. Over his shoulder he remarked to his wife:

"It's raining."

"I believe it's snow," said the wife, joining him at the window.

"It's rain," he responded firmly. "And Rudolph the Red knows rain, dear."

THE OTHER DAY a man from Aspermont who was in town telephone to the Hamlin police to report that thieves had been at work on his car.

"They've stolen the steering wheel, the brake pedal, the accelerator, the clutch pedal and the dashboard," he complained.

The police chief said he would investigate. Then the telephone rang again.

"Don't bother," said the same voice—this time with a hiccup. "I got into the back seat by mistake."

MAYBE everything the kids nowadays learn at school doesn't come out of books. For example we submit:

A Hamlin boy walked unhesitatingly up to his father with: "Dad, here is my report card, and here also is an old one of yours found in the attic."



AMONG BARBERSHOP HARMONIZERS to be heard at the annual musical extravaganza of the Abilene chapter of the SPEBSQSA (Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Singing in America) Saturday evening, March 10, at the Abilene High School auditorium will be the Confederates, second place quartet in national competition in 1955 (above). National champions also will be there, along with other outstanding quartet groups. Proceeds from the two-hour show will go to the West Texas Rehabilitation Center at Abilene. Advance tickets are on sale at Melody Shop in Abilene.

## Broadened Service in County Increases Red Cross Quota

### Goal of \$6,532 for County Sought in Fund Campaign

New Red Cross quota for Jones County is \$6,532, which is an increase because of the many disasters during the last year, declare officials of the county unit. Jones County activities for 1955 have been wide and varied, Mrs. Frank Gamblin, executive secretary, said.

A summary of the year's work includes disaster relief, financial assistance, first aid, water safety, nursing services, assistance to service men and their families, and community service, she said.

Total of \$798.84 was spent on disaster in Jones County in 1955, Mrs. Gamblin reported. Without cost to the recipient, Red Cross repaired homes for five families, purchased household furnishings for two families and purchased emergency food for one family.

Financial assistance was given to people "needing the necessities of life until they could better their positions and some who faced death," Mrs. Gamblin said.

The help was in the form of food, clothing, medicines and even transportation for cancer treatment and for serious surgery. Total cost to the chapter was \$897.45 and 79 families received such aid. Loans for a total amount of \$406 were given to eight families.

In first aid, first aid training was provided for 27 persons last year by the chapter, plus necessary first aid instructions for one Boy Scout unit. Classes are now being held and more are planned. This training is free to those who wish to learn first aid.

Emergency first aid station was established at Lueders to administer aid till victims can be taken

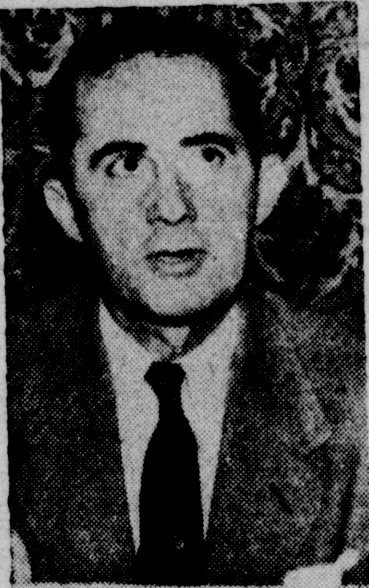
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### Herald Publication Day Being Advanced

The Herald plans to advance its day of publication from Thursday to Wednesday in order to give week-end advertising messages of advertisers more effectiveness, the publisher announces.

In view of this new dating, the deadline for news copy will be advanced to Tuesday noon. Certainly earlier copy will be given preference, and it less apt to contain errors and can be given better position in the paper, it is pointed out.

The publisher expressed the hope that prompt reporting of events would be accorded Your Home Town Paper.



NOT RUNNING — Governor Allan Shivers is shown as he addressed the people of the state by radio and TV advising them he would not be a candidate for any public office this year.

### Formal Opening of Chiropractic Offices Scheduled Monday

Formal opening of the new chiropractic offices of William A. Pattillo in the former location of the Cake Box on Southwest Third Street has been announced for Monday.

Pattillo, a native of Liberty, holds a BS degree from Shurtleff College of Alton, Illinois, and his chiropractic degree from Logan College of St. Louis, Missouri.

He married the former Anna Lee Richard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Richard of Sweetwater, who formerly lived at Hamlin. They have a three-year-old girl, Patricia Ann.

The building being occupied by Pattillo has been completely redecorated, and equipment will include the most modern for the practice of chiropractic, Pattillo declares, including x-ray for spinal analysis.

Hamlin has been without chiropractic service since the death last year of Don Gould, who practiced here for several years.

### Area T-P Employees Get Salary Increases

About 25 employees of the Hamlin division will be affected by a wage and salary increase of six per cent which went into effect March 1 for all employees of Texas Pacific Coal and Oil Company except officer-directors. H. B. Fuqua, board chairman and president, announced from Fort Worth this week.

The increase to monthly salaries of employees is limited to \$50 per month.

### E. C. Feagan Gets Plaque for 22-Year Duty with Conoco

E. C. Feagan, Hamlin consignee for Conoco products, was recognized as an old-timer in the business last Thursday night when he was presented a plaque for 22 years of service as a Conoco agent by officials of the Continental Oil Company.

The award was presented at the Continental Oil Company district offices in Abilene. The award was presented by Raleigh Cowhick, assistant division manager for Continental from Abilene.

Feagan began service with Continental as agent in Hamlin and now operates a fleet of gasoline transports and a butane company here. He began work for Continental in 1934.

After the presentation, Feagan was guest of honor at a dinner at the Abilene Country Club.

Others present at the presentation were Mrs. E. C. Feagan, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Feagan Jr. of Hamlin, Mrs. Cowhick, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McNeely and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Newcombe of Abilene. McNeely is district sales manager for Continental and Newcombe is district merchandising manager.

Living in the past has one thing in its favor—it's cheaper.



HAPPY REPUBLICANS—Jack Porter (right) ex-GOP national committeeman, and Dallas County chairman Paul O'Rourke are a pair of happy Republicans after learning that President Eisenhower will seek a second term.

### Fun Festival Will Climax 4-H Club Week Observance

Local observance of National 4-H Club Week will be climaxed this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Anson High School auditorium, according to Bill Lehmborg, county agent, and Jimmie Lou Waincott, county home demonstration agent. Everyone interested in the work of the clubs is invited to attend.

Four-H Club boys, girls and their families and friends will be present to see the coronation of the 4-H King and Queen. For entertainment of the court, a share-the-fun festival has been arranged. This is a talent show with members of each club participating.

Winners of the county festival will get to participate in the district share-the-fun festival, to be held in Wichita Falls April 14.

Candidates for King and Queen are: Lonnie Ueckert and Myrna Patterson of Noodle; B. A. Honey and Mary Ann Moore of Lueders; Jerry Long and Sandy South of Hawley Junior; Lynn Jackson of Hawley Senior; Ann Johnson of Bluebonnet Club of Hamlin; June Swenson and Harmon Heixner of Avoca; Duffy Vassar and Lou Parkinson of Anson.

A. H. Roberts will serve as master of ceremonies.

### Cotton Problems to Be Discussed at Anson

Cotton production problems, insect control, marketing and ginning problems will be discussed at an area-wide cotton meeting at Anson next Thursday.

Farmers and agricultural workers are invited to attend, according to Bill Lehmborg, county agent. It will be held in the county courtroom, and will begin at 9:30 a. m. The meeting will adjourn about 3:30 p. m.

Fred Elliott, cotton works specialist; Dr. F. M. Fuller, entomologist; and Howard Zuch, agricultural engineer, will conduct the meeting. These men are all members of the Texas Extension Service.

### Dr. Gordon Bennett to Teach Former Class

Dr. Gordon Bennett, vice president of McMurry College at Abilene, will teach the men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Church Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock, according to class officials.

Dr. Bennett is a former teacher of the class for six years, when he resided in Hamlin.



Milk still rates eager inspection from youngsters in Jacalapa, Honduras, to whom it has always been a rarity. But every Saturday now is milk-drinking time for them since the UN Children's Fund (UNICEF) began a special program last June aimed at pre-school children. This is the age group hardest hit by under-nourishment from the area's standard black bean and tortilla diet. UNICEF has supplied milk to Honduras since 1950 and, with UN's Food and Agriculture Organization, has helped the Government set up feeding programs which reach 45,000 children of all ages.

## City Drive on Petty Stealing Launched

Hamlin city enforcement officers and city officials are becoming extremely concerned about the rash of petty thievery that has spread to this area in recent months, declared Mayor Willard Jones this week, as he announced an accelerated campaign toward apprehension of perpetrators of the crimes by city officers.

Scores of automobile hub caps have been taken from parked automobiles in recent weeks, a few of which have been recovered, officers said. But most of those

hub caps stolen apparently are being taken to other cities and disposed of under cover, officers believe.

Contacts with the Texas Rangers and Texas Highway Patrol offices at Abilene by Mayor Jones last week-end revealed that those law enforcement agencies are co-operating to help stamp out the thievery. They reported having made a number of arrests as the hub caps were being sold to junk and auto parts dealers who buy them on a no-questions-asked basis.

One Hamlin area man, Irby Weaver, reports he has lost 10 hub caps and a set of fender skirts from his 1956 Ford since January 1. Several Hamlin auto dealers have reported theft of hub caps, radios, lighters, fender skirts and spare tires from cars on their new and used car lots.

Local officers will appreciate any information about the thefts that may lead to arrest of the perpetrators.

### Abilene Contractor Gets FM Road 1812 Project to Noodle

Contract for the construction of grading, structures, base and surfacing on Farm to Market Road 1812 in Fisher and Jones County, southwest of Hamlin, was awarded in Austin this week, J. C. Roberts, district highway engineer at Abilene has announced.

The firm of Harry Campbell of Abilene submitted the low bid of \$261,299.60 on the project, which runs from U. S. Highway 180 south and east to Jones County line, and from Fisher County line south and east to Noodle.

Resident Engineer C. W. Westbrook of Stamford will be in charge of the project for the highway department and it is estimated that the work will take 135 days to complete.

### Afton Cemetery Group Seeks Improvements

Afton Cemetery, six miles west of Hamlin on the Rotan highway, is badly in need of some repairs, and community residents are asking for donations from people of the area in order to purchase a cattle guard, posts where needed and other repairs.

Mrs. W. R. Townsend, secretary, asks that checks be made payable to the Afton Cemetery Association and left at the bank.

### Laveta French Makes McMurry Honor Roll

Laveta French, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. French of Tuxedo, was on the honor roll for the fall semester at McMurry College of Abilene, according to Jerome Van-noy, registrar. Grade averages of the 65 students who made the honor roll for the fall term ranged from 91 to 95 per cent, he said. Laveta is a 1954 graduate of Hamlin High School.

### Help Available for Any Unable to Pay For Inoculations

All-out campaign to have all children and young people in the Hamlin area between the ages of six months and 21 years inoculated against polio has been set by civic leaders of the community under the direction of Starr Inzer and L. E. (Gene) Prewitt.

Saturday, March 17, has been set as the date for the first of the shots to be administered at the Primary School building between 9:00 a. m. and 6:00 p. m. Doctors, nurses and other assistants will be on hand to help handle all who appear for the shots.

Promoters point out that new methods of manufacture and controls make the polio inoculations absolutely safe.

All the service clubs, Parent-Teacher Associations and Hamlin Schools are cooperating to offset this program to people of the area. Everyone, regardless of race, creed or color, is urged to take advantage of this opportunity to get polio inoculations.

Program of vaccination with polio vaccine provided by the March of Dimes has been virtually completed throughout the country, says Prewitt, but supplies of vaccine through other channels now are increasing steadily. Prewitt is chairman of the Jones County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

The vaccinations will cost \$3 per shot, or \$6 for the two. However, if some are unable to pay for their shots, a Hamlin donor (who asks to remain anonymous) has arranged to pay for the inoculations.

"With the liberality of this fine Hamlin citizen providing the necessary payments for the shots, there is no excuse for our not making this drive against dreaded polio a universal one," declared Starr Inzer.

Second shot in the inoculation will be given April 14.

### Singing Scheduled at City Church Sunday

Regular monthly singing of the Hamlin area will be held Sunday afternoon at the Foursquare Gospel Church at Southwest Avenue D and First Street.

Singing will get underway at 2:00 o'clock, to which the public is invited, promoters declare.

## Juniors for Fourth Time Lead Classes At High School Getting on Honor Roll

For the fourth time this school year, the juniors of Hamlin High School have led the classes with the number of students making the honor roll, according to tabulation of the list submitted this week by B. V. Newberry, high school principal.

The junior put 25 students on the honor roll of the first six weeks of the second semester. Freshmen were second with 15, sophomores third with 14 and the seniors brought up the rear with 13. The complete list follows:

Seniors: All As—Joy Cary and Reba Roland; A average—Paige Baize, Judy Brandon, Marcene Crawford, Nellie Johnson and Clarence Parker; B honor roll—Ann Cochran, Betty Cranford, Louise Herd, June Hill, Dennis Johnson and Rodney Spaulding.

Juniors: All As—Cecelia Albritton, Linda Carlton, Ginger Means, Elizabeth Norton and Gene Steele; A average—Joy Crawford, Clifford Green, Judy Harden, Georgia McDonnell, Dee Prewitt and Lavada Teichelman; B honor roll—Carolyn Barnett, Sarah Berry, Ruby Campbell, Joe Cowan, James Crowley, Douglas Ford, Charlotte Hester, Mary Jo Hubbard, George Huling, Ver-melle Johnson, Billy Lafler, Mac Reid, Annette Smith and Charlotte Wallace.

Sophomores: All As—Delores Carter; A average—Sara Kay Fomby, Everett Gibson, Joyce Grimm, Billy Murf, Jean Powell and Eva Wallace; B honor roll—Perry Davis, Whyname Hayes, Charles Jenkins, Donna Kidd, Benita Smith, Sandra Stuart and Virgil Wilson.

Freshmen: A Average—Wy-vonne Conner, Judy Parker, Alice Rivera, Faye Server, Shirley Griffin, Libby Johnson and Louise Lakey; B honor roll—Pat Branscum, Jo Ann Hallum, Patsy Little, Lupe Lujan, Betty Maberry, Ginger Rahjohn, John Richey, Gloria Rodgers, Glenda Williams and Melba Osborne.

### Two School Trustees to Be Elected April 7

Two school trustees for the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School District will be named in the annual trustee election on Saturday, April 7, it was announced this week by district officials.

Terms of Tarlton Williamson and W. C. Eoff are expiring. Williamson, who is completing 23 years on the board, declares he will not seek reelection.

Hold-over trustees are Fred B. Moore Jr., LaFoy Patterson, Noel Weaver, Edward Dodd and Eddie Jay.



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## THE PUBLIC NEEDS TO KNOW ABOUT FINANCES

For many years the Texas Press Association—of which this newspaper, along with a vast majority of all Texas newspapers, is a member—has suggested laws that would require governing bodies of the state, various districts and municipalities, to open their records to the public.

In many instances, publication of minutes would be required, and in the case of the agencies handling public funds, publication of a financial statement would be mandatory.

Some progress has been made in these efforts, but not nearly as much as the importance of the project justifies. There never has been a great deal of opposition to the TPA proposals. But they have been shunted aside for other matters.

Apathy—not opposition—has kept them off the statute books.

Now all Texas is concerned over the numerous, unsavory circumstances that have come to light the past few years. There have been the Duval County revelations; the veterans

land investigations; the U. S. Trust and other insurance debacles; to say nothing of smaller local instances of corruption and abuse of public trust of which there have been many.

Men who are in a position to know—such as the attorney general of Texas—say that none of these things could have gone on for long had there been adequate laws governing public notice. It is doubtful that any of them would have been attempted had there been requirements that official actions be made public.

Proper public notice laws will prevent such things in the future. Such laws automatically lead to good government.

This is an election year. If you think public business should be made public, ask each candidate for the Legislature how he feels about secrecy in government affairs. Vote for and support men who pledge themselves to help pass legislation requiring publication of financial reports by insurance companies, county treasurers, and any and all persons who handle public funds.

## The Silent Partner

This is a true incident concerning the manager of one of the greatest manufacturing plants in the United States. He is known as a rather reserved, quiet, but most efficient executive.

One day a factory superintendent sought the manager in his office, and was told by the manager's secretary, who sat in an outer office, that the manager was "in conference," and was not to be disturbed.

"But how can he be in conference? There's nobody in the office but himself," expostulated the superintendent, an impetuous sort of man. He had seen the manager enter the office alone. "I must see him on a matter of great importance," insisted the superintendent.

"You may come back in fifteen minutes if you wish," said the secretary, "or you may leave your message with me and I'll give it to him as soon as he is at liberty. At present he is not to be disturbed."

The irate superintendent pushed by the secretary and quickly opened the door to the manager's private office. Then, after a quick glance within, he just as quickly and quietly closed the door, and stared, red faced, at the secretary. "Why, he is on his knees!" he exclaimed, astounded.

"Yes, in conference, as I told you," said the secretary.

"I—I'm sorry. I didn't know he was that sort of a man!" apologized the superintendent. "Guess there was one in there with him—of greater importance than I." And he went away, still with an amazed look on his face.

## The Dignity of Man

Each of us, by being what constitutes a good citizen, has unconsciously achieved the dignity of man.

The dignity of man is not a thing that comes to one, or a group, or a nation through grandstand plays, braggadocio, blatant do-goodism, verbose generosity or self-dramatized unselfishness.

The dignity of man is achieved by the simple process of doing the things your heart dictates, of taking for granted the responsibilities of family, business and the social structure in which we live.

The dignity of man is achieved not by making a fanatical show of "do unto others as you would have them do unto you," but rather to unobtrusively recognize that your fellow man has his rights and that it is only natural for you to respect them.

Each of us, by being just a good citizen and wearing the humble mantle of the dignity of man, is a force for everlasting peace on earth.

## Out of Reach

Abraham Lincoln was noted for his pungent and appropriate wit.

The Great Emancipator was resting with his campaign manager in a hotel lobby. As usual, the village cut-ups congregated there, and one, bolder than the rest, remarked, "Mr. Lincoln, your speech was good, but there were some points in it that are quite beyond my reach."

The simple Lincoln looked up and chuckled: "Then I am sorry for you. I once had a dog that had the same trouble with fleas."

Financial statements of the major companies show that the packers, by an almost unbelievable elimination of waste and development of profitable by-products, reflect an efficient job at a margin of a small fraction of one penny or each dollar volume of business.—Ogallala, Nebraska, News.

## Editorial of the Week

THEY DESERVE A KIND WORD

School boards never have it easy. At times like this they have it especially hard. The seven dedicated men who make up our board are devoting a great deal of time and effort and thought right now to the problem of how best to integrate our schools, and they are taking an awful beating from the various factions.

There are those who oppose integration in any form. They want to put it off until the law points its finger directly at us and says, "You integrate now."

There are those who want to integrate next fall and hire white teachers to replace the colored ones now in the system.

There are those who want the schools completely integrated and one or more of the best qualified colored teachers retained.

A compromise plan seems to be drawing some support from all three of the above factions. It would integrate the schools but would continue to operate a grade school in the Flats, using colored teachers. Children could attend either grade school they wished.

Our seven trustees are giving this plan careful consideration, along with all the others. We may feel confident that whatever their final decision, it will represent what these good men believe to be the best interests of Littlefield children, white and black, and it will have to be arrived at only after giving careful consideration to every alternative that has been suggested.

Whatever their decision, they deserve our support. They are making a determined effort to serve our community well, and at considerable personal sacrifice. Let's let them know we appreciate their efforts, and not make it any harder for them than necessary.—The Lamb County Leader, Littlefield.

## RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper. The Herald.

### TWENTY YEARS AGO.

From the files of The Hamlin Herald are taken the following items of interest of 20 years ago, being reprinted from the issue of March 6, 1936:

Piano pupils of Edwina Gilbert were presented in recital Friday School auditorium. The following evening at the Hamlin High School participated: Verna Mae Colwell, Jo Anne McCrary, Winnie Fay Hassen, Billie Faye Rountree, Joan Culbertson, Dorothy Fern Routh, James Tate May, Anna Mae Calhoun, Marion Martin, Wand Wileman, Anita Anderson, Velta Griffin, Winona Milner, Ruby Jean Young, Harold Fletcher, Fay LaVerne Howard, Mildred Barrow, Rosemary Carlton, Eva Louise Fowler, Lenore Longino, Maxine Brundage, Betty Merle Routh and Beulah Lou Burns.

Prices at Bryant-Link Grocery: White Swan or Maxwell House coffee, three-pound can, 79 cents; sugar, 25 pounds, \$1.29; Crystal White or P. & G. laundry soap, six bars for 25 cents.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Decker of McCaulley community last week, a fine son. The little fellow is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. George.

### TEN YEARS AGO.

Goings-on in the Hamlin community 10 years ago included the following items of interest, reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 8, 1946:

Contract for paving the McCaulley to Hamlin section of FM Highway 57 will be let within a few days, according to word from the Texas Highway Department.

Hamlin telephone operators, as well as others in many other parts of the Southwest, went back to work Thursday morning after an hour's strike, when settlement was reached with company officials and representatives of the phone workers' union.

Mayor Joe L. Culbertson issued an official city-wide clean-up proclamation this week, urging citizens of Hamlin to cooperate to make the town more presentable. Elton Brigham, Hamlin 4-H Club boy, was principal money winner at the annual Hamlin Club Boys' Livestock Show held last Saturday.

Little interest is being shown in the forthcoming city election. Terms of Mayor Joe C. Culbertson and Councilmen Fred Britton, Tom Holman and Guy Wilson expire this year. Hold-over aldermen are I. R. Witt and O. D. Roland.

### FIVE YEARS AGO.

Among news items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 3, 1951:

With almost a complete sweep of the swine division, FFA and 4-H Club boys of the Hamlin area took the lion's share of wards at annual Jones County Club Boys' Livestock Show held at Hamlin last week-end. Larry Reynolds and James Bowman were the principal money winners at the show.

Job worry was given as the motive for the murder of his wife and 12-year-old daughter by William K. Jones, Santa Fe Railway section foreman at Hamlin, Monday night. This was the verdict following the inquest of officers.

Good catches of crappie and bass have been reported in recent days from the Hamlin West Lake, according to F. E. Caluble, lake keeper.

### ONE YEAR AGO.

Considered news one year ago in the Hamlin community were the following briefs, taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated March 11, 1955:

First segment of the new street paving program in Hamlin was due to get surfacing course this week-end in Hamlin, according to Roy Dunlap, city coordinator, who is supervising the work for the City of Hamlin.

Approximately \$10,700 in cash and pledges has been tabulated for the fund that will be used to construct the new Hamlin swimming pool at the City Park, according to Jack Russell, drive chairman. It is hoped that actual work on the \$20,000 project can be started within the new two or three weeks.

Names of A. Spencer and Delma Shelburne have been placed on the city election ticket to name two aldermen. Terms of Spencer and A. Hudson are expiring.

### NEVER BEEN ILL.

He "Do you believe kissing is unhealthy?"  
She "I can't say... I've never been kissed."  
He "You mean you've never been kissed?"  
She "I've never been sick."

### COTTON YIELDS RAISED.

The seven-step cotton program sponsored by the Agriculture Extension Service is 10 years of age. During its life the average per-acre yield of cotton in Texas has increased 40 pounds per acre over the previous 10-year average.

## INCOME TAX TIME IS HERE

Come in and let's get started on that income tax return for 1955. Forms are now available and I can complete the return and have it ready for you to mail in a few days. As a tax consultant, with 29 years experience, I can save you both time and worry.

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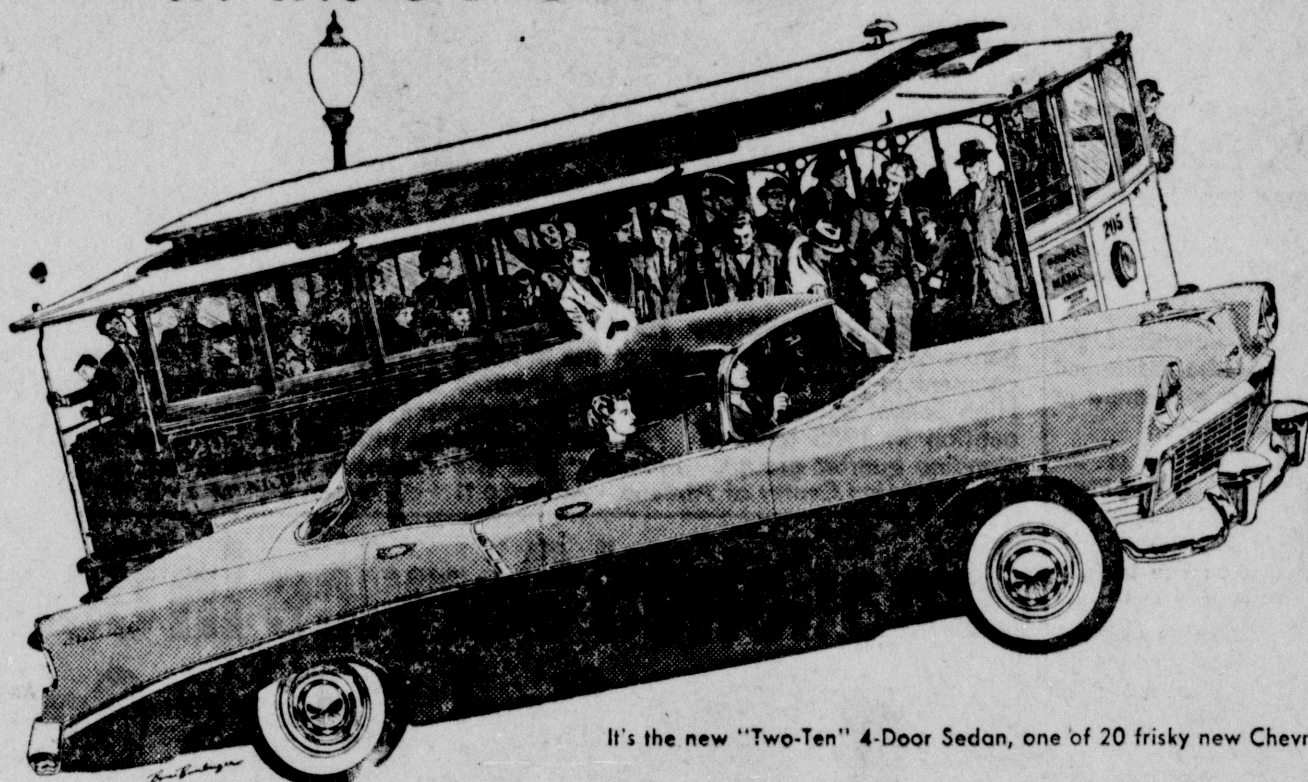
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## Open House Slated At DePriest School For Friday Evening

Observance of Public Schools Week this week in the DePriest Colored School will be climaxed this (Friday) evening, according to E. S. Morgan, principal.

Open house will be conducted beginning this evening at 6:00 o'clock, when all rooms will be open for inspection of equipment and work of the students. A program in the auditorium will begin at 7:30, when musical selections,

orations and other numbers will be presented.

Featured at the open house will be a number of items made in the new shop room under the direction of Roosevelt Jones.

The teachers are expecting to see all parents and a number of others to visit the school during the open house," Morgan declared.

The Christian graces are like perfumes, and the more they are pressed the sweeter they smell; like trees, which, the more they are shaken, the deeper root they take, and the more fruit they bear.—Francis Beaumont.

## Santa Fe Carloadings Show Gain Over 1955

Santa Fe Railway System carloadings for the week ending March 3, 1956, were 23,741 compared with 23,591 for the same week in 1955, reflecting a slight gain over the year-ago figure. Cars received from connections totaled 12,160 compared with 12,471 for the same week in 1955. Total cars moved were 35,901 compared with 36,062 for the same week in 1955. Santa Fe handled a total of 35,348 cars in the preceding week of this year.



**ONE FOE GONE**—Ralph Yarborough (left) long-time bitter opponent of the Shivers administration, smiles as he is shown the announcement that Governor Shivers will not seek re-election, by Woodrow Bean, Democratic executive committee chairman. Yarborough was in El Paso to address an executive committee session.

## Eighth Graders Lead Classes at Junior High School Making All-As Honor Roll

Eighth graders led the all As honor roll with 11 pupils on the rolls released this week for the Junior High School by Principal Marvin Carlton. The sixth grade led the A average honor roll with 12 and the B honor roll with 16. The honor roll is for the fourth six-week period of this school year.

Three classifications are recognized—pupils making 90 or above in each of the four basic courses; pupils making an average of 90 or above in the four basic courses (this allows a pupil to make below 90 in one or possibly two courses); and pupils making 80 or above in each of the four basic courses.

The four basic courses required of every pupil, Carlton explains, are: Mathematics, language arts, history and geography, and science.

The complete honor roll follows: Sixth Grade: All As—Bill Rich-ey, George Ann Black, Jeannette Jenkins, Tommy Sewell, William

Shields, Mary Smith, Linda Bingham, Alvin Houghton, Elsie Walker and Sherry Seaton; A average—Eddie Townley, Thelma McClung, Wayne Balze, Kenneth Cook, Stanley Austin, Raley Smith, Sandra Smith, Patricia Green, Jerry Smith, Laverne Williams, Rayford Williams, Martha Jordan and Dwayne Wheat; B honor roll—Theresa Carlton, Barry Cheshier, Jerry Warnell, Jerry Duncan, Roy Hogan, Odean West, Johnny Stovall, Billy Charles Goodman, Ned Branscum, Patsy Meeks, Leona Brinegar, Don Brown, Weldon Miller, Carolyn Ray, Wayne Gray and Priscilla Trotter.

Seventh Grade: All As—Sandra Bury, Ann Rabjohn, Georgeanna Fitzgerald, Cliff Drummond, Nina Jean, Clyde Hodnett and Wayne Boatwright; A average—Suzanne Jenkins, Ned Moore, Nell Waldon, Craig Hester, Cecil Robinson and Robert Brandon; B honor roll—Ray Johnson, Bob Johnson, De-Netta McCracken, Charlene Pendley, Jimmy Shivers, Karen Draper, Kenneth Wigginton, Sharon Wyatt, Jesse Kelly, Michael Bond, Cecil Sellers and Jackie Haught.

Eighth Grade: All As—Brenda Pincannon, Ann Richey, Peggy Dodd, Linda Dwiggin, Carol Jo Simpson, Arlon Balze, Lana Lancaster, Bunny Patterson, Geneva Brinegar, Iona Seaton and Patricia Bigham; A average—Rebecca Ferguson, Patricia Kelly and Sam Mack Hodges; B honor roll—Barbara Cheshier, Martha Gage, Ken Prewitt, Judith Ford, Victor Criswell, Betty Galloway, Phyllis Hollis, Linda Carter, Kaye Mil-lion, Dwight Griggs, Terry Scott, Lorin Shields, Durwood Boyd and Steve Stephens.

## Key Educators to Speak at District Teachers Meeting

"Education for Freedom" is the theme of the fifteenth annual convention of District VII teachers, who are meeting Friday and Saturday of this week in Sweetwater. Practically all the 60 teachers of the Hamlin Schools are attending the session. A holiday from regular classes is in effect today (Friday).

Educators of national prominence such as Dr. William Van Til, director of teaching and curriculum at Peabody College; Mrs. Billie Davis "the Hobo Kid," and Dr. Glenn O. Blough, professor of education at the University of Maryland will speak at the three general sessions according to R. H. Hix, district president.

Speakers for the luncheons and sectional meetings fill more specialized assignments.

Boyce House, director of public relations from the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show of Fort Worth, will speak at the vocational agriculture luncheon.

Panel discussions, book reviews and demonstrations of school materials will be offered at other sectional meetings.

## Walkers Attending Bible School Clinics

Rev. Houston Walker, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and his wife are this week attending the State Vacation Bible School Clinics in Dallas.

Rev. Walker is district vacation Bible School leader for District 17 as well as the associational leader for Jones County Baptist churches.

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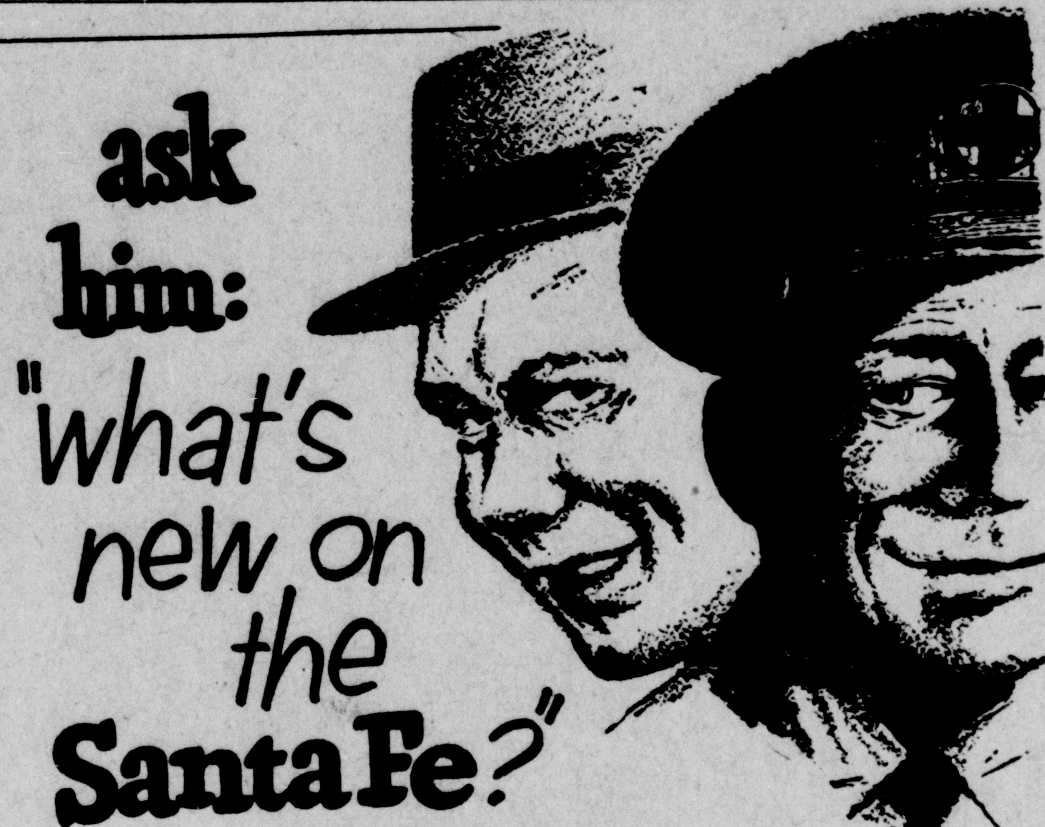
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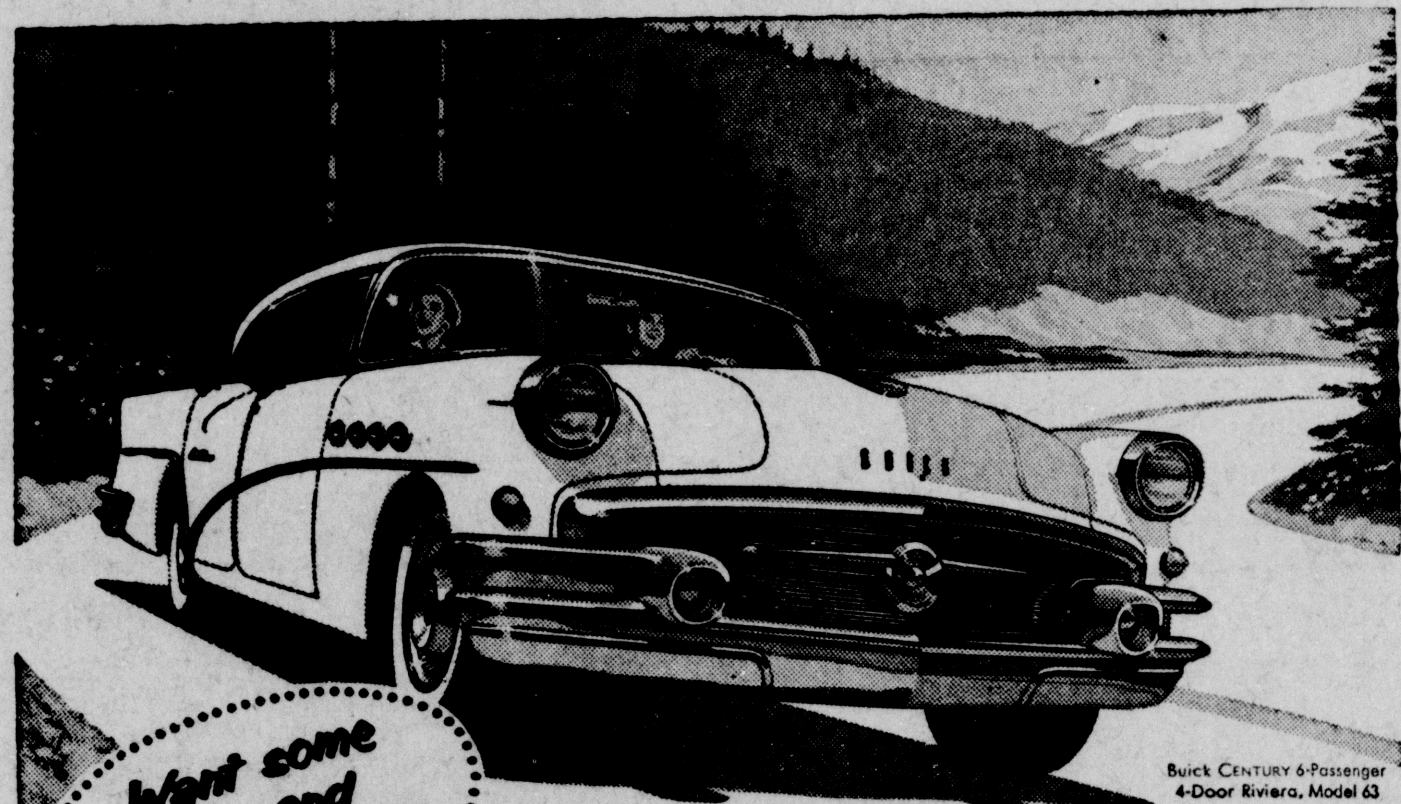
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<b>BLACK EYE PEAS</b>	10c
Hi-C	46-Oz. Can
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Welch's	Per Can
<b>GRAPE JUICE</b>	20c
<b>LEMONADE, can</b>	15c
<b>MEAT PIES</b>	2 for 45c
Keith's	10-Oz. Pkg.
<b>OKRA</b>	21c
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<b>BLACK EYE PEAS</b>	21c
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<b>AX</b>	15c	
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<b>CHASMERE BOUQUET</b>	10c	
Schilling's	4-Oz. Can	
<b>BLACK PEPPER</b>	25c	
Libby's	12-Oz. Can	
<b>LUNCHEON MEAT</b>	37c	
Swift's	Cans	
<b>VIENNA SAUSAGE</b>	2 for 35c	
Sun Spun	Flat Can	
<b>TUNA</b>	25c	
MACARONI	7-Oz. Pkg.	
<b>SKINNER'S</b>	12 1/2c	
Hormel's Thick Sliced	2-Lbs.	
<b>BACON</b>	89c	
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# The Herald's Page for Women



## Come-As-You-Are Party Featured by Ruth Sunday School Class Tuesday

Members of the Ruth Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Bud Trotter Tuesday evening for a come-as-you-are party. Twenty-six members and two visitors attended.

Someone said that it should have been called a "pajama party."

## Norma Brown, Bride-Elect Honored Friday At Gift Tea at Church

Honoring Norma Brown, bride-elect of Gene Williams, a gift tea was given Friday evening in the hospitality room of the First Baptist Church.

In the receiving line with the honoree were her mother, Mrs. W. N. Brown; and Martha O'Neal, one of the hostesses.

The table was covered with a green linen cloth and centered with a replica of cupid standing in the center of a large heart bearing two streamers with "Norma and Gene" on them, flanked on either side with green candles in crystal holders.

Mrs. Raymond Seifert ladled punch from a crystal bowl and served pink iced cakes on pink napkins.

Guests were registered in the white satin bride's book by Edith Barnett.

Gifts were shown by Mrs. Connie O'Neal. Mrs. W. M. Barnett said the good-byes.

## Gift Shower Honors Mrs. Jerry Bingham, Recent Bride, in Home

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Jerry Bingham, nee Jarle Edaburn of Albuquerque, New Mexico, was held last Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Williams, from 7:00 till 9:00 o'clock.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Thompson Young, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bingham. Presiding at the register was Martha Hubbard. Mrs. Nathalie Graham displayed the gifts.

The serving table was laid with colonial lace over a pink cloth. Table decorations were a bride and groom before an arch in the shape of a heart, with background of greenery. Pink and white streamers with "Jerry and Jarle" in gold letters flowed from the table corners.

Mary Jo Hubbard ladled punch. Others assisting were Mrs. Travis Hubbard and Mrs. J. A. Williams. Refreshments of angel food and evil food cake were served to 40 guests. Many gifts were sent.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. J. A. Williams, Travis Hubbard, Nathalie Graham, Henry Downey, Charley Young, Robert Green and Thompson Young.

## Home Agent Gives Living Room Talk for Good Neighbor Club

Jimmie Lou Waincott, county agent, gave a program on "Why the Living Room?" when members of the Good Neighbor Home Demonstration Club of Neinds met Tuesday afternoon at the community center.

Miss Waincott stressed the fact that a living room should be comfortable as well as entertaining.

The club accepted an invitation from the Friendly Circle Club to attend a program at Anderson Chapel school Tuesday night, March 5. The program was to be on "Jury Service" and "Child Delinquency."

Cake and coffee were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Fayrene Weaver and Mrs. Inez McCoy, to the following attendants: Mrs. Mildred Weaver, Lucy Carothers, Charlene Joiner, Sydonia Lane, Alice Westmoreland, Adele Kelly, Arlene Faulkenberry, Viva Joiner, Verlon Hodges, and Miss Waincott.

## Friendship Club Sets Luncheon May 4 for Demonstration Week

Plans were made to have a covered dish luncheon at the oil mill guest house on May 4 at 11:00 a. m. to celebrate National Home Demonstration Week, when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met at the guest house Friday in regular session.

Council report was made by Mrs. Fred Young. At the luncheon planned May 4 guests will be invited, and each member will bring a gift—something she has made—to be auctioned off, to make money for the club.

Program for the Friday meeting was on "Oven Meals," given by Mrs. Jap Kemp and Mrs. R. S. Johnson.

Next meeting of the club will be March 9 at the home of Mrs. Grady Smith. Roll call will be "A Thought for the Day." Mrs. Ray Johnson will be director of the program on "Jury Service." Participating on the program will be Mrs. Noble Greer and John Hix.

Luncheon plates were served from the oven meal to Mrs. Noble Greer, Grady Smith, Ester Hastings, Ed Brancum, John Hix, Jack Collins, H. E. Brown, Homer Neal, Robert Johnson, M. S. Johnson, Jap Kemp, Fred Young, Gean Witt and Linda, J. R. Sissom and Sol Brancum; and a new member, Mrs. Art Newcomb.

## Mrs. Tate May Gives Book Review at Meet Of Beta Theta Group

A book review of "Smile, Please" featured the regular meeting of members of the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi February 28 in the home of Mrs. Brad Rowland Jr.

The following were served pie and coffee as they arrived: Mrs. L. C. Bonds, Austin Poe, Ed Boaz, Wilson Brannon, Jim Herridge, Garland Preston, Arlie Castle, Earl Smith, C. Weldon Griggs, Truman Nix, Jess Parrish, W. F. Martin, H. L. Mehaffey, Gerald Young, Billy Joe Wilson and a guest, Mrs. Tate May.

Mrs. May gave a review of Mildred Spurrier Topp's book, "Smile, Please," which dealt with experiences of Mrs. Topp's childhood. The review was both amusing and highly entertaining to the club members.

In a short business session it was decided to have a white elephant sale at the next regular meeting on March 13, in the home of Mrs. L. C. Bonds.

## Fifty-Two Study Club Postpones Meeting

Next regular meeting of the Fifty-Two Study Club has been postponed until March 23 at 3:00 o'clock.

Several members plan to attend the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs convention in Weatherford on the previous date, it is pointed out by club officials.

## MOTOR STILL RUNNING.

As the after dinner speaker kept on a subject of ear-wearying drabness, one of his victims managed to sneak outside, where he found another fatigued listener.

"Has he finished, thank goodness?" that gentleman asked. "No, yes, long ago," was the reply, "that he still refuses to stop talking."

## Mrs. W. C. Westbrook Hostess Friday to Fifty-Two Study Club

Mrs. W. C. Westbrook was hostess to the Fifty-Two Study Club Friday afternoon in her home at 44 Northwest Avenue C. Mrs. Joe League assisted as co-hostess. Mrs. F. E. Bayouth led the club collect. The president, Mrs. Wilson Brannon, presided during the business session.

Mrs. Cecil Sellers, chairman of international affairs, read a letter from Mrs. Theodore S. Chapman, president of the General Federation of Women's Club, concerning "Crusade for Freedom."

Mrs. Dean Witt, program director, read a quotation from the yearbook, "The Kingdom of heaven is like a grain of mustard seed, which a man took and sowed in his field."

Mrs. Cecil Sellers discussed parliamentary procedure.

On the program were Mrs. Irby Weaver and Mrs. Truman Nix, who told the "History of Chittenden Ranch" and showed slides of the ranch house on the 10,000-acre ranch that lies northwest of Anson. Mrs. W. C. Westbrook told about the writings of Larr Chittenden, known as "Po. Ranchman of Texas."

Coffee and strawberry shortcake were served to 18 members.

## Texas Day Program Given at Meeting of Hamlin Literary Club

A Texas Day program was rendered Friday afternoon when members of the Woman's Literary Club met in the home of Mrs. J. W. McCrary.

Mrs. Dick Maberry, director for the program, presented Mrs. McCrary and Mrs. John D. Ferguson, who gave parts. Mrs. McCrary played two organ solos, and Mrs. Ferguson reviewed Louisa Grace Erdman's "The Far Journey." The book is a living story of the fortitude of men and women who settled the great empire of Texas. Miss Erdman is a teacher of creative writing at West Texas State College at Canyon.

Mrs. M. T. York, first vice president, presided at the business session. Two new members were elected to membership in the club. They are Mrs. Ed Wiggins and Mrs. John Lea.

A new course of study, "The Time Is Now" was decided on by the group.

The meeting was dismissed by the reading of the club collect, led by Mrs. Foster Cook.

## McCaulley P-TA Unit Honors Area Officials

The McCaulley School Parent-Teacher Association entertained Mrs. R. W. Herren, president of the 18th District P-TA Congress, and her guest, Mrs. Hester, vice president of the Haskell P-TA, and Mrs. Holder, recording secretary, with an informal coffee last Tuesday in the McCaulley home-making cottage.

Mrs. W. D. Fagan, president of the Abilene Garden Club, spoke on "The Family Assumes Its Civic Obligation," Monday night of this week at the McCaulley P-TA session, according to Mrs. Orvel F. Hill, president.

## Many Favorite Foods Are on Plentiful List For Month of March

Hamlin area homemakers will find more than a dozen favorite foods on the March plentiful list. Pork, beef and broilers and frys top the menu. Supplies of all are heavier than a year ago, with broilers and frys up almost 50 per cent.

Sharp increases in carry-over more than offset production cutbacks and leaves the supplies of rice well above anticipated domestic and export demands.

Salable stocks of potatoes are about 17 per cent above a year ago, with heaviest supplies in the East and lightest in this area, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service.

Fresh and processed grapefruit continue in heavy supply with the last crop report showing an increase of a million boxes over the previous month.

Canned and frozen cherries are in heavy supply, with the prices below any recent year except the 1950-51 season.

The date harvest was delayed because of weather, and the crop is above the average.

Milk and other dairy products are on the March list. Milk production is at record levels with the flush spring season ahead.

Other foods include peanuts, canned tuna in oil, vegetable fats and oils, and pinto beans.

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## Mr. and Mrs. Lewis LaBaume Living in Snyder Following Church Rites Here

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis LaBaume, former Hamlin residents before their recent marriage, are making their home in Snyder following a wedding trip to Galveston and other South Texas points.

Mrs. LaBaume is the former Patricia Ann Fleckenstein, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fleckenstein, and young LaBaume is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. LaBaume, all of Hamlin.

The young couple repeated wedding vows February 23 at 9:00 o'clock in the evening at the Hamlin Church of the Nazarene. Rev. Donald Wellman, pastor of the church, read the double ring rites before an altar decorated with white gladiolus in baskets and greenery.

Elizabeth Norton played piano wedding music and accompanied Mrs. Donald Wellman as she sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white embroidered organza dress over taffeta. Her full waltz length skirt was topped with a fitted bodice that was finished with a sweetheart neckline and puffed sleeves. Her hat was scattered with seed pearls and rhinestones, and she carried white carnations atop a white Bible.

Barbara Durham, the maid-of-

honor, wore a blue embroidered organza dress and carried a white nosegay. James Wright was best man.

Following the wedding rites a reception was given in the home of the bridegroom's parents.

On their honeymoon the bride wore a white knit suit with pink accessories and her bridal co-sage.

Both the young couple are Hamlin High School graduates, and are employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

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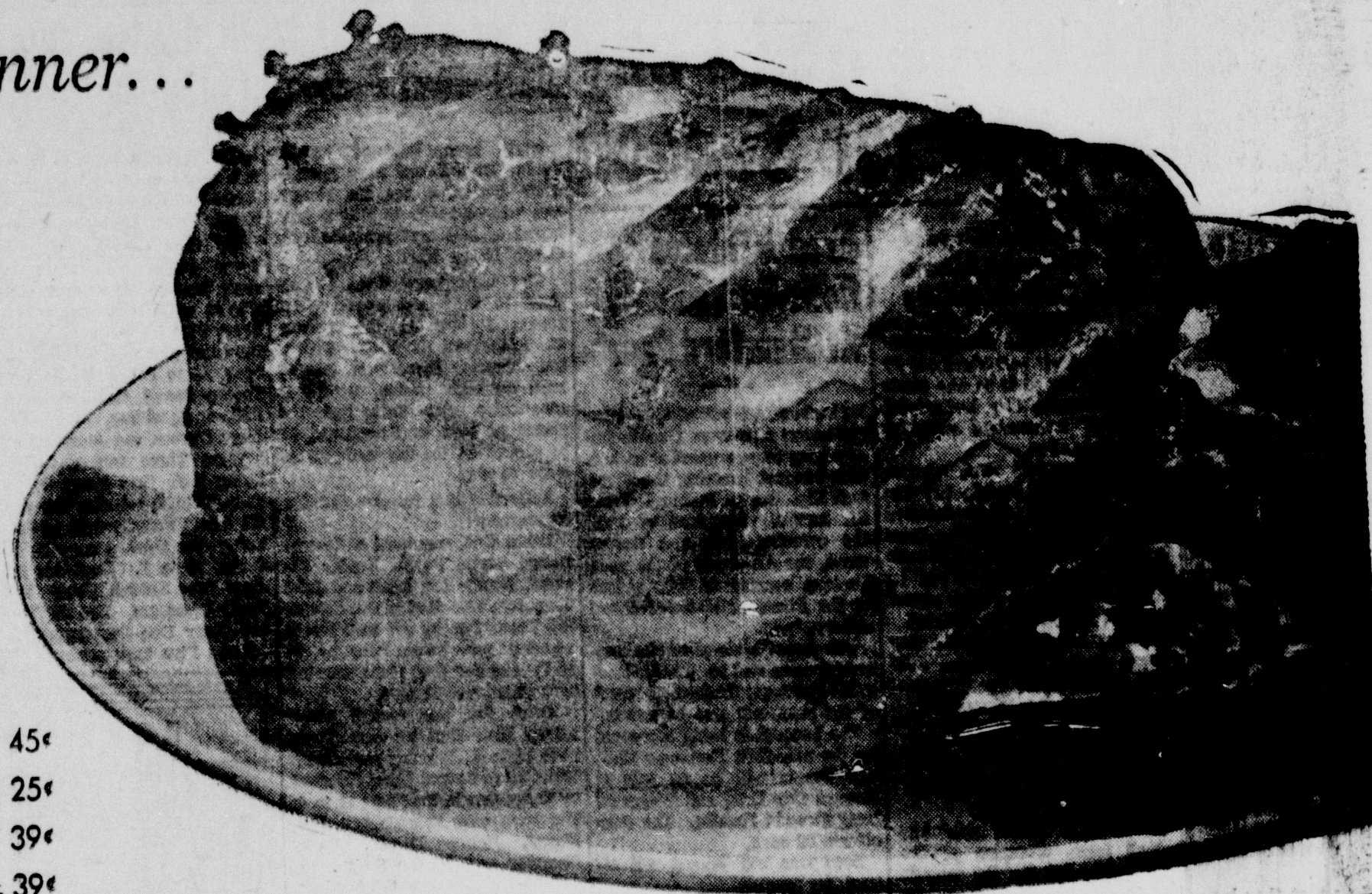
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Cherries	Wonsard Red Sour Fitted	30¢ Can	23¢
Apple Pie Mix	Willamette	No. 7 Can	35¢
Asparagus	Allgreen, Libby	30¢ Can	44¢
Lima Beans	Del Monte Early Garden	30¢ Can	31¢
Golden Corn	Whole Kernel, Country Home	12-Oz. Can	35¢
Sweet Peas	Dr. Early June, Gardenide	2 12-Oz. Cans	23¢
Sweet Potatoes	Whole, Country Home	No. 3 Can	27¢
Spinach	Libby	2 30¢ Cans	29¢
Spaghetti	Fraco-American	30¢ Can	18¢
Cherub	Mills	3 14 1/2-Oz. Cans	37¢
Carnation	Or. Fat Milk	3 14 1/2-Oz. Cans	40¢
Potatoes	Shoestrings, Kobey's	2 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	11¢
Rice	Long Grain, Snow Boat	2-Lb. Pkg.	37¢
Pinto Beans	Sunny Hills	1-Lb. Pkg.	19¢
Large Limas	Sunny Hills	1-Lb. Pkg.	37¢
Witch Hazel	Eurose	8-Oz. Bot.	25¢

### Feature Buys this weekend

Apricots	Highway, Halves, Unpeeled	No. 2 1/2 Can	35¢
Preserves	Tea Garden Strawberry	12-Oz. Glass	27¢
Catsup	Taste Telle	14-Oz. Bot.	15¢
Biscuits	Plain or Buttermilk, Puffin	8-Oz. Can	10¢
Joyette	Frozen Desserts, Assorted Flavors	1/2-Gal. Ctn.	49¢

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Coffee	Nob Hill, "Extra Rich,"	1-Lb. Pkg.	84¢
Flour	Gold Medal	10-Lb. Bag	93¢
Pure Lard		3-Lb. Ctn.	39¢
Shortening	Mrs. Tucker's	3-Lb. Ctn.	69¢
Cane Sugar		10-Lb. Bag	93¢
Tooth Paste	Gleem	5-Oz. Tube	57¢
Egg Shampoo	Helene Curtis	4-Oz. Bot.	55¢
Shampoo	Mennen, For Men	4-Oz. Bot.	89¢
Hair Tonic	Vaseline	Large Bot.	52¢
Arrid	Super Spray With Chlorophyll Deodorant	2-Oz. Jar	66¢

### For Tempting Salads

Salad Dressing	Duckett	14-Oz. Jar	28¢
Sandwich Spread	Lunch Box	14-Oz. Jar	40¢
Midget Pickles	Zippy, Sweet	8-Oz. Jar	31¢
Ripe Olives	Ebony, Large	8-Oz. Bot.	32¢
Stuffed Olives	"O-L-A-Trees," Holston, No. 6	3-Oz. Bot.	39¢
Salad Oil	Mayer	8-Oz. Bot.	56¢
Chunk Tuna	Light Meat, No. 10 Sea Trader	1-Lb. Can	29¢

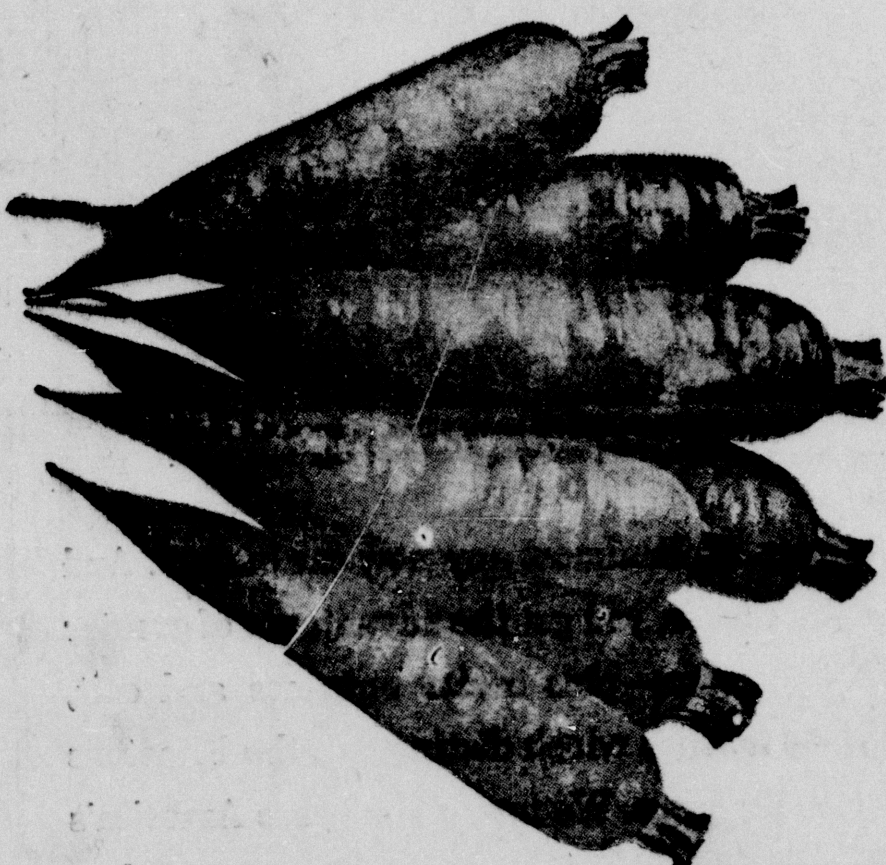
You may not believe it but a couple of tablespoons of peanut butter stirred into 4 cups of oatmeal while cooking gives the oatmeal a flavor the kids will love. Nutritious, too.

### Save at Safeway

Apple Juice	Wartair	42-Oz. Bot.	29¢
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Pineapple	Sliced, Libby	No. 7 Can	32¢
Applesauce	Muselman's Can	303	20¢
Apple Jelly	Empress, Giant	12-Oz. Jar	18¢
Large Prunes	Boettke	1-Lb. Ctn.	37¢

### Save on these

Cheese	American, Dutch Mill	2-Lb. Pkg.	99¢
Cream Cheese	Kraft, Philadelphia	1-Lb. Pkg.	15¢
Homo Milk	Lucerne	1/2-Gal. Can	47¢
Buttermilk	Lucerne	1/2-Gal. Can	41¢
Non-Fat Milk	Lucerne	8-Oz. Ctn.	19¢
Biscuits	Skylark, "Brown N Serve"	1-Oz. Pkg.	20¢
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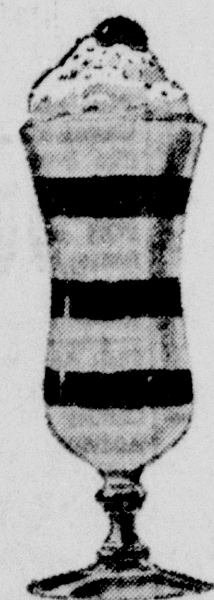
### Other features in our Produce Section

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Lemons	Sunkist, 300's	Lb.	15¢
Oranges	California Sunkist, Navel, 150's and Larger	Lb.	10¢
Yellow Onions	Texas, Just Right for Stews and Soups	Lb.	6¢

Pascal Celery	Every Bush Is Compact	Lb.	11¢
Bananas	Naturally Delicious	Lb.	14¢

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Green Onions	Fresh	2 Bunches	19¢
Yams	Texas	Lb.	8¢
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New Potatoes	Florida	2 Lbs.	17¢



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Jello	Assorted Flavors, Gelatin Desserts	2 3-Oz. Pkg.	1.84
Welch Jelly	Grape or Grapefruit	2 10-Oz. Glasses	39¢
Vanilla Wafers	Mellors	1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Zippy Pickles	Whole, Sour or Dill	22-Oz. Jar	20¢
Quick Grits	Mammy Leo	24-Oz. Pkg.	18¢
Green Beans	Stokely, Small, Whole	303 Can	20¢
Breeze	Detergent	Large Pkg.	29¢
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# The Herald's Page of Sports



## Officers for Little and Pony Leagues Elected for Season

### Eligible Players To Be Registered March 15 and 22

Officers for the two groups were elected for the ensuing season when a joint meeting of supporters of the Pony League and Little Baseball League was held Friday evening.

Elected were: For the Little League—Benny Ford, president; Eddie Jay, vice president; Alvis Bond, secretary; W. T. Johnson, treasurer; and for the Pony League—G. E. Campbell, president; E. B. Hopper, vice president; Alvis Bond, secretary; and W. T. Johnson, treasurer.

It was decided to hold another meeting on March 15 to register all eligible Little Leaguers; and the following week on March 22 the Pony Leaguers will be registered. The time of these meetings will be 7:30 o'clock in the high school cafeteria.

Officials declare that they hope to have available at these meetings a selection of names from which to elect managers of each team.

First five days of April have been designated as the time to raise money to begin the operation of this season. This will be a joint drive for both the Little League and Pony League. Eddie Jay has volunteered to serve as head of the finance committee. The meeting determined that \$500 would be enough to take care of all expenses to get this program underway.

### DePriest Girl Cagers Drop Tourney Finals Tilt to Colorado City

DePriest Colored School's girls' basketball crew was edged out by Colorado City girls in the finals of the Colorado City invitational basketball tournament Saturday at Colorado City.

The Steerettes' first victims was the Crane squad, and the next was Brady. They defeated both of these teams placing them in the finals against Colorado City. They were edged out by Colorado City girls, which placed the girls second in the district.

Shirley Ann Jones, Bobbie Gay Powell and Jimmie Louise Bass were high scorers for the year, reports Coach E. S. Morgan.

### Rotan Girls Defeated By Stephenville Crew

Rotan High School girls' basketball team, champion of District 4-AA, fell by the wayside last Saturday in the regional cage play-offs played at Lubbock.

The Rotan girls were defeated in their first round game by the Stephenville High School aggregation by a 69 to 44 score.

Mary Laney led Stephenville to victory with 32 points, while Janie Hargrove bucketed 28 points for Rotan.

### BOOK LARNIN'

A youngster, being scolded for a poor report card, asked: "Dad, what do you think is the trouble with me — heredity or environment?"

### Area Athletes to Honored Tuesday At Stamford Feast

Numbers of athletes, coaches and sports fans from Hamlin will be among those present at an area wide banquet honoring the Stamford High School Bulldogs, Texas AA football champions of 1953, the coaching staff and Gordon Wood, the AA coach of the year, Tuesday evening at 7:00 o'clock at the Stamford National Guard armory.

The Avoca state champion basketball team and its coach, Granville Hastings, basketball coach of the year, will also be guests.

The banquet is being sponsored by the Stamford Exchange Club, and tickets will be on sale at Howard City Drug and Waggoner Drug Store in Hamlin. The tickets are \$2 each.

Both men and women will attend the banquet.

Abe Martin, head coach at Texas Christian University of Fort Worth, will be principal speaker, and Bill Whitmore, publicity director at Rice Institute of Houston, will be master of ceremonies.

### Band Director Parrish Playing with Abilene VFW Unusual Band

Jess Parrish, band director at Hamlin High School, is a member of the newly formed band of the Clayton Leach post of Veterans of Foreign Wars of Abilene, which has been labeled one of the most unusual bands in the nation.

It is an organization open to amateur and professional musicians alike, and to members and non-members of the VFW. At the present time the membership of the band includes 18 band directors of this area; local business and professional men and students of the area schools.

This band is organized and operates on the principle of the old time community band. The music played is music which is selected for the pleasure of the listener as well as the players. It is organized for anyone who likes to play or listen to good band music.

## Eight Teams of Sixth Graders Climax Basketball Season in Inter-Squad Tilts

Sixth grade boys of Hamlin Junior High School have finished their basketball for the season, and will be ready to play a good brand of ball next year, declares Coach Harry Martin.

The boys were divided from time to time and played short games throughout the season. They climaxed the season with a tournament. There were enough boys for eight teams, with five substitutes. Substitutes took the places of boys who happened to be absent on the day their teams were to play.

Following is a run-down of the tournament:

Team One, composed of Wayne Baize, Curtis Payne, Zender Ingram, Ronnie Lee Isbell and John Ferguson, won first place, defeating Team Two by a 2 to 2 score; winning over Team Four by 11 to 7; and for first place winning over Team Six 11 to 4.

Team Six won second place, taking their first tilt over Team Five 12 to 6; winning over Team Eight 20 to 9; and being defeated by Team One in the finals 11 to 4. The boys were Frankie Lee, Roy Hogan, Jimmy Cooper, Barry Cheshier and Rayley Smith.

Team Four won third place, winning over Team Three 12 to 7; losing 11 to 7 to Team One; and winning their third game over Team Eight by a 9 to 6 score. On this squad were Stanley Austin, Alvin Houghton, Curtis Carter, Joe Orona and Jerry Warnell.

Team Eight won fourth place, winning over Team Seven 4 to 2; losing to Team Six 20 to 9; and

losing to Team Four 11 to 7. On this squad were Max Cowan, Joe Yocham, Weldon Miller, Raymond Tobar and Johnny Stovall.

In the consolation bracket Team Seven took fifth, losing their first melee to Team Eight 4 to 3; winning second game from Team Five 18 to 6; and winning the third game from Team Three by a 14 to 6 count. Boys were Tommy Sewell, Rayford Williams, Robert Spaulding, Jerry Smith, Jerry Duncan and Jesse Mendoza.

Team Three won sixth place, losing their first game to Team Four 12 to 8; winning the second tilt from Team Two 10 to 8; but losing the third game to Team Seven 14 to 6. One this group were Babe Shields, Bobby Wolf, Neal Branscum, Donald Brown and Jerry Don Sappington.

Team Five took seventh place.

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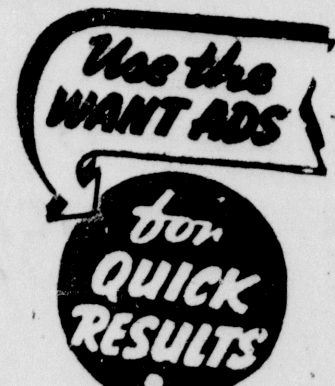
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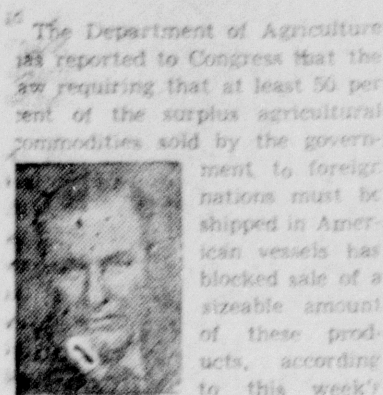
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## Subsidy for American Ships Blocking Movement of Surpluses, Burleson Says



Burleson release from our congressman, Omar Burleson of Texas, through his column, "Washington: As It Looks from Here." His release continues:

"They report that one such sale to Denmark in the sum of \$11,300,000 was stalled because of it, and that another sale of \$40,000,000 in surplus commodities to Norway, Sweden and England was prevented because of it. This is the provision which I attempted to strike from the bill

last year, but was defeated on the floor in the effort. Many people talk about the farmer being subsidized, but this requirement that at least 50 per cent of the surplus commodities sold must be delivered by American ships is not only a subsidy to the shipping companies but is a handicap to the government and to the farmer in selling our surplus agricultural products.

President Eisenhower has told Congress that the Post Office Department is losing \$1,000 a minute and has asked for increases in the cost of stamps.

He suggests that the ordinary letter be increased to four cents and airmail from six to seven cents. In addition, he asks that second class mail, which is newspapers and magazines, be increased by about 15 per cent each year for two successive years. He further suggests that third class mail, which is mostly advertising, be increased immediately by 30 per cent.

It is estimated that these increases will produce \$406,560,000.

Predictions are always a little dangerous, but I shall venture one anyway.

When President Eisenhower makes his decision as to whether or not he will run, the stock market is likely to react one way or the other. If he is not a candidate, it probably will drop sharply, but if he is a candidate, I would guess it will immediately go up.

Regardless of the justification one way or the other, our system of economics should not be so sensitive to one man's actions. This is no reflection on the president because he will have nothing to do with it. Rather, it will simply be a result of the inevitable.

In the future we are often going to see in print the letters, "ICBM." This stands for Inter-Continental Ballistic Missile, which will be the most deadly of all weapons.

The most deadly race in the history of mankind is now taking place between the United States and Soviet Russia to develop the first such missile, and one nation or the other will win. While we are stumbling over a lot of molehills, we must eventually climb this mountain. Either the United States or Russia will win this race, and the security of the world may depend on which one has it first.

It has been my strong contention for more than two years that a man of unquestioned ability should be placed at the head of our missile program to push it with everything we have. Instead we have been bogged down in red tape and governmental boondoggling. It looks as if we may have to come from behind to win this race, but it can be done if we will do it as was done by General Leslie Groves in handling the first atomic bomb project.

Secretary of Defense Wilson has now indicated that he is looking for such a man and may follow such a plan.

Unless something unforeseen prevents, I shall devote my next week's column to this subject.

### "Save Your Vision" Week Stresses Need For Frequent Checks

National "Save Your Vision Week" is being observed this week, March 4 to 10, by area optometrists in connection with the American Optometric Association.

Purpose of the week is to focus public attention on the need for more frequent eye examinations among school children and senior citizens. Parents and teachers are urged to be more observant of young eyes. Children must read 200 to 300 books before graduating from high school. The tremendous amount of eye work is done during a child's most formative years. One out of four children cannot stand the strain and become near-sighted or partially blind in one eye, while still others develop a tremendous dislike for reading, optometrists declare.

Senior citizens must use caution about their eyes, too, as most cases of blindness are due to neglect. Everyone past 40 should have yearly eye check-ups to avoid loss of sight from cataract, glaucoma, eyestrain, diabetes, cancer, high blood pressure, kidney diseases and other eye inflammations.

ROTARY HOES SAVE. Cotton farmers using 38,161 rotary hoe equipped tractors last year cut an estimated \$12,300,000 from their hoe bill.

A person who thinks by the inch he talks by the yard should be removed by the foot.



TEXAS HOMEMAKER OF TOMORROW—Sammie McLallen of Hereford High School, Hereford, Texas, was named Texas' Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow. She received the state's highest score in a written homemaking examination and will be awarded a \$1,500 scholarship by General Mills. She will also receive an expense-paid trip with her school advisor April 8-12 to Washington, D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Philadelphia. Miss McLallen will be a candidate for the All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow \$5,000 scholarship award.

## Numbers of Hamlin Area Farmers Being Aided by Farmers Home Administration

Numbers of Hamlin area farmers have been benefitted by the loan program of the Farmers Home Administration.

Approximately \$5,130,000 or 48 per cent of the production and subsistence loans obtained by the farmers in Texas from the FHA during the past year were used to purchase equipment, livestock and make similar investments, Walter T. McKay, state director for the agency, said in a release to The Herald.

Farmers are making these investments to set up the kind of farming systems that will make the most of their labor, land and other resources, FHA leaders say.

Production and subsistence loans are also made for fertilizer, seed tractor, fuel, insecticides and other farm and home operating expenses. The loans bear five per cent interest, and repayments are scheduled in accordance with the borrower's ability to repay. Loans for crop production are repayable when income from the crop is received. Loans for capital investments are repayable over periods up to seven years. The maximum loan is \$7,000, and total indebtedness cannot exceed \$10,000, FHA officials declare.

Several steps are taken by the Farmers Home Administration to assist farmers in making the best use of their loan funds. Before a loan is made a complete farm and home plan is prepared by the farm family with the assistance of the agency's local supervisor. The plan shows how the farm will be operated, estimated yields and income, and a budget for farm and home expenses. Provision is made for the production of a large portion of the family's food supply and provision is made in the budget for household expenditures and medical care.

No loan is made unless the farm and home plan shows that the farm, when properly operated under normal conditions, will produce an income that will provide the family a good living and enable them to repay their debts.

Guides have been established with the aid of the Extension Service and other agricultural agencies that show desirable combinations of enterprises, amount of land, quantity of livestock, amount and quality of pasture, and feed, acres of cash crops, and the yield per acre and production per animal that are needed for the successful operation of family

type farms in each given area. These guides are used in developing the farm and home plans.

In addition, at the end of the crop year, a complete review of the year's operations is made by the farm family and FHA supervisor to determine which farm enterprises were the most successful and what further improvements are to be made in the coming year.

Credit is also extended by Farmers Home Administration for financing annual operating expenses. These loans are short-term credit designed to help farmers finance one year's operations. Annual production and subsistence loans may be made to farmers provided there is a sound basis for credit. This means that the anticipated gross income from farming and other sources must be sufficient to repay the loan, meet farm and home expenses not provided for in the loan, and provide a reasonable margin above such amounts. This type credit is in addition to emergency loans available to farmers or ranchers primarily engaged in farming, McKay stated.

Real estate credit for purchase and development of family type farms, for financing soil conservation measures, and for the development of water systems for farm home, livestock and irrigation are also available.

## James Rodgers Makes Texas Tech Honor Roll

James E. Rodgers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Rodgers of Hamlin, was one of 352 students at Texas Technological College at Lubbock who were listed on the honor roll issued this week by W. P. Clement, registrar.

The list contains the names of students enrolled for 12 semester hours or more during the fall semester who ranked in the upper five per cent of their division out of the more than 7,000 students at Tech.

Young Rodgers is a sophomore, taking a business administration course.

### SURPLUS FOODS MOVE.

More than 800,000,000 pounds of surplus foods were distributed by the United States during the last six months of 1955 to school children and needy persons in this country and abroad.

## Unlicensed Drivers Reflect Violations In Courts of State

Haling of a goodly number of motorists without valid drivers licenses into city and justice courts in recent months emphasize the number of people who are operating cars without the necessary licenses, Mayor Willard Jones pointed out this week as he was advised by the Texas Highway Patrol campaign to eliminate such drivers from the road.

The unlicensed driver was pointed up as a traffic hazard on Texas highways in a statement by Colonel Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

In quoting a survey made during the first six months of 1955 by the Texas Highway Patrol, Garrison said the unlicensed Texas driver is two and a half times as likely to be involved in an accident as a licensed driver.

He also said the survey of rural highways showed that when involved in an accident the unlicensed driver's mishap is half again as apt to prove fatal as that of the licensed driver.

In explanation Garrison said, "The irresponsibility of the driver in not obtaining a license is a reflection of the character of that driver and his driving habits."

"In most instances the unlicensed driver is deficient in either his physical and learned abilities or his driving attitude. In obtaining a license and taking the driver tests, his deficiencies are brought to light before an accident occurs. By being aware of his shortcomings and making adjustments for them a driver usually is able to avoid being involved in a costly traffic accident."

Only 3.9 per cent of the driving public is unlicensed, yet 9.8 per cent of the drivers in non-fatal accidents and 13.9 per cent in fatal accidents are unlicensed.

## Emergency Feed Plan Extended for Month

Current emergency feed program for Jones County has been extended until April 15, according to Leonard C. Williams, county supervisor of the Farmers Home Administration, who had been advised this week by telegram from Walter T. McKay, state FHA director.

Applications will be accepted to and including March 16, 1956, for supplies of feed grain in all presently designated counties sufficient to carry the feeding of livestock up to and including April 15.

Williams pointed out that applications to be acted upon by FHA committees not later than March 19, 1956.

See The Herald for pencils.



STATE CHAIRMAN of the traditional annual appeal in 1956 will be Munger T. Ball (above), well known maritime shipping executive of Port Arthur and a pioneer organizer of aid for handicapped Texans. Annual 1956 Easter Seal appeal for aid to crippled children will open March 10.

## Results of Grain Sorghum Tests in Area Now Complete

Final results are in on the grain sorghum variety test conducted on the Durwood Neville farm last summer, declares County Agent Bill Lehmsberg. H. R. Carpenter conducted the tests in conjunction with the Agricultural Extension Service and the Jones County Veterans Vocational Schools.

Total yields in pounds per acre for each variety are reported as follows: Redbine 60, 995 pounds per acre; Combine Kaffir 60, 1,009 pounds per acre; Martin milo, 763 pounds per acre; Combine hegari, 818 pounds per acre; and 7078 milo, 1,309 pounds per acre.

This makes the second successive year for a test of this nature, and 7078 milo has been the highest yielding variety for both years.

The following comments were sent in with the report: Two-inch rain at planting time; 12.75 inches had fallen up to June 20; A few light showers fell in July; and total on September 24 of 14 inches had fallen; on September 24 five inches fell; and on October 2 one inch fell. The late rain caused tillering. Due to dry growing season, maturity was delayed and heads were small. The 7078 variety, most popular dry weather sorghum in area; Martin, very popular with farmers as is 7078 generally; Redbine 60, so much unfavorable conditions since this has been available, we have not gotten a true test; Combine hegari makes small heads, slow to mature, many tiller heads, large amount of forage.

Another series of variety tests will be conducted during the 1956 growing season, according to the county agent.

## Traffic Law Violators Account for Big Per Cent of Accidents, Surveys Prove

"Traffic law violators do have accidents!"

That statement was made this week by E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, Inc., in an address outlining the Know-and-Obey-Traffic-Laws program which is being sponsored in Texas by the Texas Safety Association, the Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Statistics prove that traffic law violations figure largely in traffic fatalities," McFadden said. "In 1954, according to the National Safety Council, 83 per cent of the fatal accidents involved violations of traffic laws by one or more drivers."

Pointing out that traffic accidents don't just happen but are caused—often by willful disobedience of traffic laws—McFadden said law enforcement agencies need the support of the whole community in building greater respect for traffic laws.

"The time to stop an accident is before it happens," he said. "A driver who doesn't know the traffic laws, even though he might mean well, can play havoc with his own life and those of others. And that goes for pedestrians too."

Pointing out that not only were motorists aggravating the traffic problem by their recklessness and disregard of the traffic laws,

but that pedestrians were also guilty, McFadden urged each citizen to accept his responsibility to walk and to drive carefully.

"It is only through this individual sense of responsibility for safety for oneself and for others that we can hope to cut down on traffic accidents," McFadden said.

## Celotex Earnings for First Quarter Are Up

The Celotex Corporation will show earnings of about \$1.25 a share in the first quarter ended January 31, as against 77 cents a year ago, O. S. Mansell, president, estimated for stockholders at the annual company meeting at Chicago last week.

Sales volume, including those of the Hamlin plant, will reach approximately \$17,400,000, compared with \$14,760,000 in the first quarter last year, he said. Mansell pointed out that final figures will not be available until next month.

### MESQUITES ARE COSTLY.

A mesquite tree requires about 2,000 pounds of water to produce a pound of leaves and bark, while 800 pounds of the precious liquid will produce a pound of cotton or 600 pounds of grass. Worthless trees are moisture and money robbers.

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## Big Movements of Livestock Continue To Keep Prices at Low Level on Markets

Over 110,000 cattle and calves and 102,000 hogs were reported at 12 major livestock markets Monday, according to the weekly release of Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald. His release on the markets follows: Prices on fed cattle and butcher hogs were under pressure and closed lower again at all points.

Aside from dry lot fed steers, yearlings and heifers the cattle and calf trade at Fort Worth Monday was about steady. Some interests were talking lower on

cows, but shippers and independent packers took the bulk of the supply at steady prices. Bulls, slaughter calves and stocker and feeder classes were firm.

Comparative prices: Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings brought \$14.50 to \$17.50; common to medium kinds, \$11 to \$14; fat cows, \$11.50 to \$12.50; canners and cutters, \$8 to \$11.50; bulls, \$10 to \$14.75; good to choice slaughter calves, \$16 to \$18.50, a few fancy to \$19; common and medium, \$13 to \$15.50; culls, \$10 to \$13; steer stocker calves, \$18.50 down; steer yearlings, \$18 down; replacement cows, \$8 to \$13.50.

A distribution sale of stocker cows and pairs will be held at Fort Worth April 13 and will be jointly sponsored by the Texas Aberdeen-Angus Association, the Texas Hereford Association and the Fort Worth Livestock Market Institute.

The sale will be open to all breeds, as well as those of predominantly Hereford or Angus breeding. There will be no classes or judging, and it will be an opportunity for those seeking replacement cows or pairs to look over a sizeable number of all kinds and different quality.

With the improved pasture conditions in much of the Southwest it is expected that there will be heavy demand for females to rebuild herds depleted by the drought. Considerable interest has been indicated from Southern and Southeastern buyers, as well as from the southwest.

Some of the new crop lambs have been showing up in the receipts at Fort Worth in the past couple of weeks, and some of these choice milk lambs have been bringing \$18.50. Old crop woolled fat lambs sold around \$18 down, with a few club lambs to \$18.50 Monday.

Fall shorn or No. 1 pelt lambs sold from \$17.50 to \$18, and No. 2 pelts sold around \$17, with some freshly shorn kinds from \$16 to \$16.50. Packers were taking practically all of the lambs at prices that surpassed the feeder buyers' bids.

Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs sold from \$12 to \$16. Slaughter ewes freshly shorn sold at \$6.50 to \$7, and some woolled canner ewes sold from \$7.50 to \$8. Some freshly peeled yearlings sold at \$14, and some with more pelt sold to \$16 and \$16.50.

Butcher hogs opened steady to 25 cents lower Monday at Fort Worth, with choice kinds topping at \$12.25 to \$12.50, and the less desirable weights and grades from \$10 to \$12.

Packing sows were steady to 50 cents higher and sold from \$9.50 to \$11.



**GRAND CHAMPION**—Wayne Poe, 18 (right) a 4-H Club youth from Goldwaite smiles broadly after his 940-pound Hereford steer was picked as the grand champion of the Houston Fat Stock Show. Shown with him are Ralph Johnson (left) show board chairman and Archer Romero, president of the show.

## Many People Are Eligible for Benefits Under Social Security, Official Declares

A good sized number of the people who read The Herald could get social security checks by applying for them, but don't know of their eligibility, according to R. R. Tuley Jr., Abilene district manager for social security.

Tuley explained that these people are eligible:

1. Insured persons between 65 and 72 earning \$1,200 or less in a year can draw their full benefits. They can get some checks even if their earnings are as high as \$2,080 in a year. Income from investments, rentals, interest, etc. do not count as "earnings." The word "insured" means having credit for a certain amount of social security work. Those 65 before July 1, 1953, are insured with as little as one and one-half years' work. Those just now reaching age 65 need two years of social security credits.
2. Anyone now 72 or over who has as much as one and one-half years' work covered by social security can get full benefits regardless of present earnings.
3. There is a special rule for

survivors of persons who died between 1940 and September 1, 1950. If any such person had as much as one and one-half years of social security credits at the time of his death, benefits may now be paid to his widow at age 65, or to any unmarried children still under the age of 18.

Tuley urges anyone who thinks he or she may qualify under one of the above provisions to get in touch with his office promptly. He emphasized that no social security benefits can be paid until a claim application has been filed, and that he has no means of identifying any notifying all those who may be eligible.

### WEARING DISGUISE

A lady approached the clerk in the police station and said she wanted to swear out a warrant for a man's arrest.

"What does he look like?" asked the clerk. "Has he a mustache?"

"I couldn't say," answered the lady, "but if he does he keeps it shaved off."

Rubber bands at The Herald

## Resident of Area For 50 Years, Mrs. Mattie Reid, Dies

A resident of Jones County for more than half a century, Mrs. Mattie Reid, 69-year-old wife of a pioneer farmer of the New Hope community, died last Wednesday morning at a Stamford sanitarium after a serious illness of three weeks.

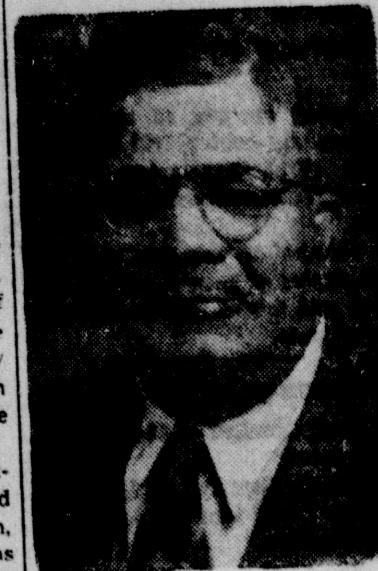
Funeral services were conducted Thursday at the Stamford Church of Christ. Delton Haun, Waxahachie minister, and Silas Triplett, minister of the Stamford Church of Christ, officiated. Interment was in the New Hope Cemetery under the direction of Kinney Funeral Home.

Mrs. Reid was born Mattie Parker Nash at Bono in Johnson County on November 7, 1886. She was married to Burnia Reid in Jones County in 1902. They reared their family in the New Hope community. Mr. Reid died in May, 1946, and Mrs. Reid moved to Stamford in 1950.

Survivors are six sons, F. E. (Bo) Reid of Stamford, L. R. Reid of Tulsa, Burnia Reid of Hamlin, W. H. Reid of Odessa, B. B. Reid of Lubbock and C. E. Reid of Houston; four daughters, Mrs. M. L. Bolding of Stamford, Mrs. W. R. Taylor of Abilene, Mrs. Guy Young of Wenatchee, Washington, and Mrs. Nettie Blackburn of Bakersfield, California; 28 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Also surviving are her stepmother, Mrs. Rosa Nash of Stamford; two sisters, Mrs. Beulah Wade of Post and Mrs. Bob Boulton of Maryneal; two half-brothers, Elvin Nash of Stamford and Henry Nash of Dallas; and a half-sister, Mrs. Douglas Brock of Aspermont.

There is no such way to attain to greater measure of grace as for a man to live up to the little grace he has.—James Gordon Brooks.



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was announced this week by Walter T. McKay. The appointment becomes effective immediately and extends to December 28, 1958.

## Baptists Engaged In Training Union Enlargement Drive

Hamlin First Baptist Church will engage in a week of Training Union enlargement beginning on March 11, according to the pastor, Rev. Houston Walker.

Several other Baptist Churches in Jones County will be in the same program.

At North Central Avenue Baptist Church Mrs. Miles B. Hays of Lueders will be the instructor.

Two state Training Union workers are to be present to conduct the school at the First Church, with Roy Dean in charge and teaching adults. Mrs. James Odom will work with elementary workers.

Books being offered for study each night include "Joy in Church Membership" for adults, taught by Roy Dean; "The Challenge of Church Membership" for young people, taught by Mrs. J. C. Greenway; "Now You Belong" for intermediates, taught by Ed Wiggins; and "My Church and I" for juniors, taught by Harold Eades. Courses will also be offered in "Elementary Leadership" for the workers with children, as well as "Bible Stories" for the children.

Courses will begin each evening at 7:00 o'clock. Other activities will include the reworking of the Training Union organization, seeking to parallel the organization with that of the Sunday School. Plans are being made to add more adult unions and more elementary unions at the First Church, Rev. Walker declares.

### QUARREL STOPPERS.

Caleb C. Colton, English clergyman, said: "Two things, well considered, would prevent many quarrels: First to have it well ascertained whether we are not disputing about terms rather than things; and secondly, to examine whether than on which we differ is worth contending about."

## Undulant Fever Cause Traced to Milk and Contact with Animals

Undulant fever has been called the great masquerader as its symptoms are the same as many other diseases, according to Dr. Henry A. Holle, commissioner of health, in a release to The Herald. It is also known as brucellosis and Malta fever. It occurs sporadically in Texas, which indicates that it is a public health problem and needs more recognition by the public.

Undulant fever is so called because of the wave-like variations in temperature. The symptoms include rise in temperature, loss of weight and strength, chills, sweats and joint pains. The disease has a rather low mortality rate, but important because symptoms may persist for a number of weeks and even months before normal health and strength are restored.

In Texas, goats and cows are the usual spreaders of this disease. The germs of undulant fever enter the body through the mouth or skin. Therefore, care should be used in handling animals known to be infected, and dairy products from the same sources, if used, should be pasteurized.

More men acquire this disease than women due to the fact that their work as stockmen or meat cutters offers more chance of exposure.

The true prevention of undulant fever is based upon the detection of the disease in livestock and the elimination of infected stock. All dairy herds should be tested for bacillus abortus.

Pasteurization of milk will prevent the spread from this source. When grade A pasteurized milk is used the consumer is assured that the milk is not only safe but clean.

### SUNDAY VISITORS.

Visiting Sunday afternoon and for the evening meal in the Virgil Steele and Mrs. Etta Stephenson home were Mary Dell Fisher, Mary Lois Kirksey, Art Travis and Bob Corley, members of the Life Service Band of Hardin-Simmons University of Abilene; Rev. and Mrs. Earl Thompson and son Mike, pastor and family of McCauley Baptist Church; a friend of Mike's, Mrs. Thompson, mother of the preacher; and Mrs. Etta Steele.

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## Assistance from Individuals and Firms Helps Club Boys in Sales of Price Stock

Hamlin Future Farmers of America boys who showed their livestock last week at the Abilene District Livestock Show realized good prices for their animals at sales during the week-end.

Sales as tabulated by T. C. Blankinship and Harold V. Eades follow:

Gene Steele, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club; Carl Weaver, one steer, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23; Don Drummond, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23.25 and \$23; Boyce Blankinship, one, to safe-way at \$29.25 and one to Hunter & Hunter at \$28.70; DeVaughan Carrigan, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23; Ray Johnson, one steer, to Jay Jameson at \$29; Muri Smith, one steer to Armour & Company at \$23; Don Adair, two steers, to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23; Corky Bond, one steer to Hamlin Steer Booster Club at \$23.

Lamb—Gene Murff, two lambs, to Armour & Company at \$17 and \$17.20; Ted Masser, two lambs to Swift & Company at \$19, and one to Armour & Company at \$19.20; Bob Martin, three lambs to Armour & Company at \$17.20 and three to Swift & Company at \$19; Charlie Turner, one lamb to Armour & Company at \$17.20, and five to Swift & Company at \$19; Steve Reynolds, two lambs to Swift & Company at \$17.20; Billy Murff, two lambs, to Armour & Company at \$17 and \$17.20; Charles Nall, one lamb to Armour & Company at \$17, and two to Swift & Company at \$19.

Hogs—Doug Ford, one to Perry Hunter-Hall at \$25; Steve Reynolds, one to Dr. Guy Gillespie at \$25; Donal Johnson, one to West Texas Veterinary Supply at \$24.75; Mac Reid, one to Humble Oil Company at \$24.75; Jerry Crowley, one to Hoppe Auto Electric at \$24.75; Mike Brandon, one to Childs Ready-Mix Concrete Company at \$24.75; Doug Ford, one to McDaniel Music Company at \$24.75; Jerry Crowley, one to Radio Station KWKC at \$24.75; Steve Reynolds, one to Dr. M. T. Ramsey at \$24.75; Donal Johnson, one to Carpenter Bearing Company at \$24.75; Steve Reynolds, one to A. C. Perini Jr. at \$24.75.

The club boys were appreciative of the individuals and busi-

ness concerns who assisted in seeing that their stock brought good prices at the sale. They asked The Herald to make the following statement for them:

We, the Hamlin 4-H Club and FFA boys, take this method to thank each individual and business concern for their financial assistance on the sale of our show steers. Although your help came as a complete surprise, we assure you it was greatly appreciated.

Due to the high prices of our investment in our steers, costly feed bills and much lower market than we expected, we were due a big loss on our steer feeding projects. You have certainly helped alleviate this financial loss. We realize now that costs and the cattle situation were highly unfavorable for any feed lot operation this year. However, we have gained some valuable experience, which we consider may prove valuable in future years.

Again we say thanks for your interest and help. If you need us for anything, please feel free to call upon us at any time.

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## RED CROSS

(concluded from page one) to a hospital. Twenty-one persons trained in first aid are available 24 hours a day.

Water safety: Two persons were sent to aquatic school at chapter expense in 1935. They and three other authorized water safety instructors who received their training at Red Cross expense conducted swimming classes last summer. The instructors were free and taught water safety, life saving and swimming. A total of 112 certificates were issued to children and adults in Jones County.

Nursing Services: A free service given by authorized Red Cross nursing instructors to help train future homemakers and others in hygiene and nursing with 64 completing the nursing course and 24 completing the mother and baby care course.

Largest and most complex service is assistance to servicemen and their families. Mrs. Gamblin says. It includes reports and communications, benefits counseling and referral as well as financial assistance. This chapter contacted 120 military bases during 1935 in regard to emergency leaves and extensions, reports for military authorities and reports on home conditions for servicemen stationed far from home.

Community service is given to those seeking aid from agencies not located in the county and helping those who call on us, Mrs. Gamblin said. There were 465 families assisted in this manner during 1935.

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## Games Tonight Will Feature Neinda Meet

Spring opening of the Neinda community center will be staged this (Friday) evening at 7:30 o'clock, announce community leaders.

Feature of the gathering will be playing of games. Salted nuts and cold drinks will be served to attendants.

## NATURAL CONSEQUENCE.

First Cannibal—"The chief has hay fever."

Second Cannibal—"Serves him right: I told him not to eat that grass widow."

## CELEBRATION ENOUGH.

"I refused to marry Bob three months ago and he's been drinking ever since."

"That's what I'd call carrying a celebration too far."

Men occasionally stumble over the truth but most of them pick themselves up and hurry off as if nothing had happened.—Winston Churchill.

## BOTH ARE WORRIED.

Small Daughter—"Mama, why did you marry daddy?"

Mama—"You've begun to wonder, too?"

## BELOW YOUR NOSE.

Office Boy—"Sir, there's a salesman outside with a mustache."

Absent Minded Purchasing Agent—"Tell him I've got a mustache."

The pleasantest things in the world are pleasant thoughts; and the great art of life is to have as many of them as possible.—Montaigne.

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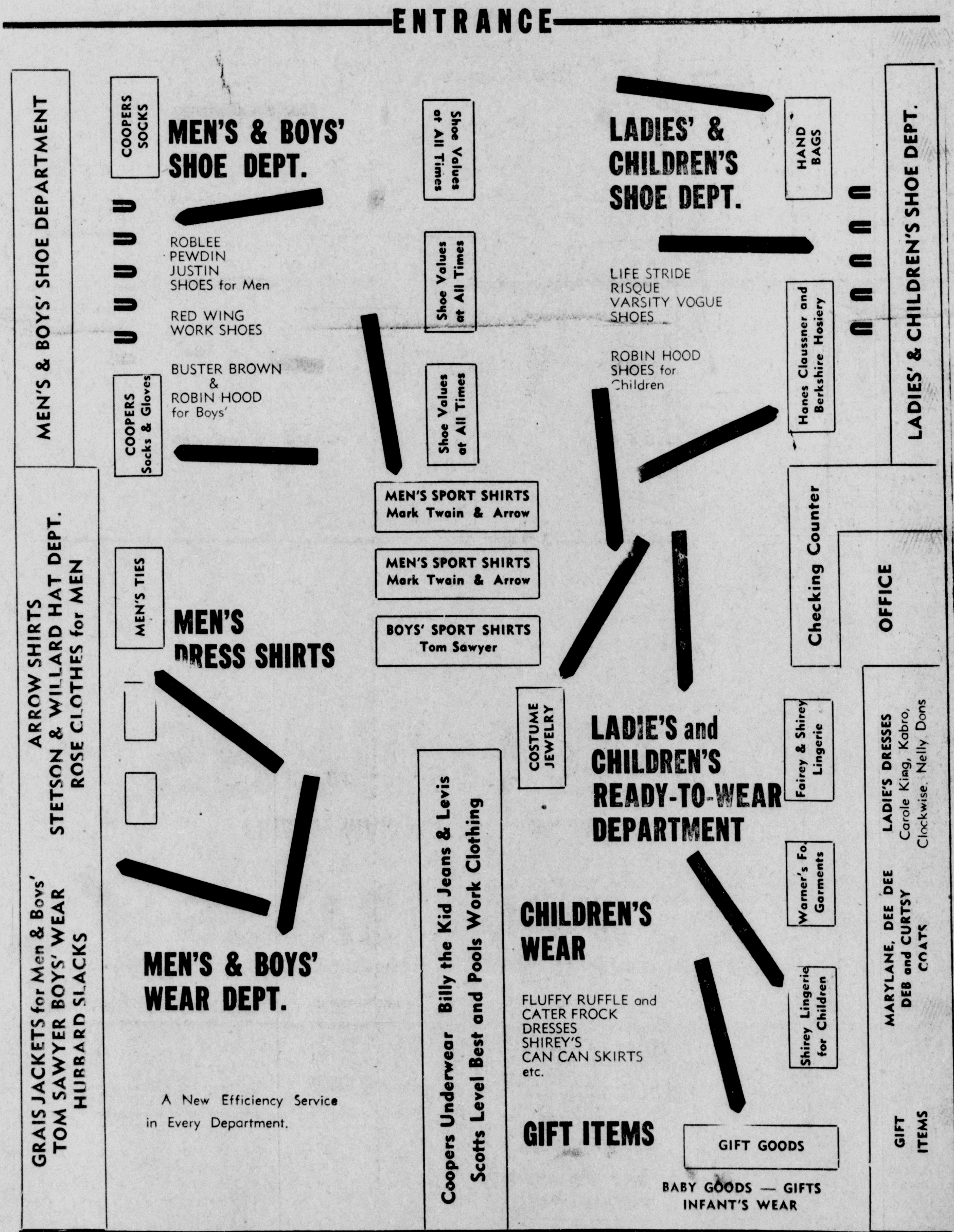
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